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NOTES

SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

NOTE: Monthly Summary of Statistics preliminary figures are not indicated by the symbol 'p'. All revisions, however, will be indicated by the symbol 'r'.

1 Standard notations are used throughout this publication, with meanings as follows:

kWh	kilowatt hour
L	litre
MJ	megajoule
n.a.	not available
n.e.c.	not elsewhere classified
n.e.s.	not elsewhere specified
n.p.	not available for publication but included in totals where applicable
n.y.a.	not yet available
r	figure or series revised since previous issue
*	subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes.
...	not applicable
—	nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)
—	break in continuity of series (where a line is drawn across a column between two consecutive figures)

2 Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and the totals shown.

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED INDICATORS

3 In most instances, the aim in compiling monthly or quarterly economic time series is to provide evidence of movement, in order to indicate the effects changing conditions are having on the activities being measured — and, in so doing, to signal what might be likely to occur in the near future. Seasonal adjustment is a technique designed to assist in these processes of analysis and interpretation by removing the estimated effects of normal seasonal variation from statistical series, so that the effects of other influences on the series may be more clearly recognised.

4 Details of the methods used in deriving the seasonally adjusted figures shown in this publication are given in the publication *Seasonally Adjusted Indicators* (1308.0), last issued in 1983 by the Central Office of the ABS.

5 Seasonally adjusted statistics are revised following revision to the original data and as additional data are brought into the analysis each year.

6 For series where one of the components and the total of the components have been seasonally adjusted (e.g. private dwellings and total dwellings), any figures derived by deduction (in the example quoted — government dwellings) do not amount to a formally seasonally adjusted series for the balance of the components.

TABLE 1. ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, NSW
(^{'000 persons})

Period	Estimated resident population at end of period			Increase during period			Mean estimated resident population for year ended	
	Males	Females	Persons	Natural increase (a)	Net estimated migration	Total increase	30 June	31 Dec.
1992	2,974.0	3,005.5	5,979.5	44.9	5.8	50.7	5,931.0	5,958.5
1993	2,994.1	3,029.6	6,023.7	44.7	0.5	44.2	5,981.0	6,001.5
1994	3,020.8	3,057.3	6,078.2	43.3	13.8	57.1	6,025.7	6,052.3
1994—								
March qtr	3,002.7	3,038.4	6,041.0	12.0	5.4	17.3	..	..
June qtr	3,007.6	3,042.6	6,049.2	10.0	-1.8	8.2	..	..
September qtr	3,015.0	3,050.8	6,065.8	8.7	7.8	16.5	..	..
December qtr	3,020.8	3,057.3	6,078.2	11.7	0.7	12.4	..	..
1995—								
March qtr	3,030.3	3,067.3	6,097.6	11.7	7.8	19.5	..	..
June qtr	3,038.7	3,076.4	6,115.1	11.6	5.9	17.5	..	..

(a) Excess of live births over deaths.

TABLE 2. BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES (a), NSW

Period	Live births (b)	Total deaths (b)	Infant deaths (b)(c)	Marriages	Divorces
			—number—		
1992	89,660	43,863	633	39,523	13,949
1993	87,590	42,402	542	38,681	14,753
1994	87,007	45,003	553	38,715	13,999
1994—					
March qtr	22,075	10,011	136	10,545	3,288
June qtr	21,310	11,234	142	8,603	3,179
September qtr	22,360	13,207	144	7,591	3,757
December qtr	21,262	10,551	131	11,976	3,775
1995					
March qtr	21,196	9,736	118	10,049	3,318
June qtr	20,938	11,131	109	8,510	3,297
			rate (d)—		
1992	15.0	7.4	7.1	6.6	2.3
1993	14.6	7.1	6.2	6.5	2.5
1994	14.4	7.4	6.4	6.4	2.3

(a) Statistics in this table relate to vital events which occurred in each quarter and year shown, and are registered up to the release of this publication. Because of late registrations, they are likely to be revised, particularly the most recent periods. (b) Births and deaths statistics relate to events which occurred in Australia where the usual residence was within NSW. (c) Deaths under one year of age. (d) Number per 1,000 of estimated resident population at 30 June, or number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births.

TABLE 3. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER, NSW

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force ('000)	Not in labour force ('000)	Civilian population aged 15 and over ('000)	Unemployment rate (a) (per cent)	Participation rate (b) (per cent)
	Full-time workers ('000)	Total ('000)	Looking for full-time work ('000)	Total ('000)					
MALES									
November									
1991	1,373.2	1,513.1	148.5	158.3	1,671.3	602.2	2,273.6	9.5	73.5
1992	1,308.2	1,453.9	173.2	186.1	1,639.9	655.3	2,295.2	11.3	71.5
1993	1,337.6	1,486.4	165.5	176.7	1,663.1	652.6	2,315.7	10.6	71.8
1994									
September	1,374.9	1,540.1	143.7	163.3	1,703.3	631.7	2,335.1	9.6	72.9
October	1,366.2	1,539.8	130.9	143.7	1,683.5	653.6	2,337.1	8.5	72.0
November	1,369.3	1,534.2	129.0	143.6	1,677.8	661.3	2,339.1	8.6	71.7
December	1,395.8	1,558.7	140.0	157.8	1,716.5	624.5	2,341.0	9.2	73.3
1995									
January	1,384.8	1,544.0	147.4	166.2	1,710.2	633.6	2,343.8	9.7	73.0
February	1,408.7	1,564.4	137.8	157.6	1,722.0	624.5	2,346.5	9.2	73.4
March	1,400.0	1,560.8	127.9	146.9	1,707.7	641.5	2,349.3	8.6	72.7
April	1,401.2	1,575.0	122.2	133.9	1,708.9	643.0	2,351.9	7.8	72.7
May	1,405.7	1,573.6	123.2	137.4	1,711.0	643.6	2,354.6	8.0	72.7
June	1,411.4	1,575.4	122.1	134.2	1,709.6	647.6	2,357.2	7.8	72.5
July	1,430.7	1,582.0	117.3	131.0	1,713.0	646.4	2,359.4	7.6	72.6
August	1,403.0	1,570.8	122.3	134.5	1,705.2	656.3	2,361.6	7.9	72.2
September	1,421.5	1,595.4	126.3	145.4	1,740.7	623.0	2,363.7	8.4	73.6
October	1,405.6	1,580.3	119.5	134.5	1,714.8	651.4	2,366.2	7.8	72.5
November	1,408.5	1,591.4	121.2	134.5	1,725.9	642.7	2,368.7	7.8	72.9
MARRIED FEMALES									
November									
1991	350.9	651.2	29.7	41.4	692.6	663.5	1,356.1	6.0	51.1
1992	365.1	655.8	27.5	40.9	696.7	648.4	1,345.1	5.9	51.8
1993	378.3	676.6	35.6	52.1	728.8	615.3	1,344.1	7.2	54.2
1994									
September	402.3	715.8	27.5	44.0	759.8	635.4	1,395.2	5.8	54.5
October	387.1	677.5	23.2	37.3	714.8	666.0	1,380.8	5.2	51.8
November	384.7	686.5	25.5	43.4	729.9	654.2	1,384.1	5.9	52.7
December	387.6	684.4	22.1	38.7	723.2	655.0	1,378.2	5.4	52.5
1995									
January	379.7	663.0	24.3	37.5	700.5	692.2	1,392.7	5.3	50.3
February	383.3	681.7	30.3	50.5	732.1	662.6	1,394.7	6.9	52.5
March	384.0	700.6	26.1	43.6	744.1	656.6	1,400.7	5.9	53.1
April	398.8	707.4	20.1	35.2	742.6	659.8	1,402.4	4.7	52.9
May	397.5	713.4	19.4	32.7	746.1	665.9	1,412.0	4.4	52.8
June	406.0	738.7	23.9	35.1	773.7	646.6	1,420.3	4.5	54.5
July	410.8	733.4	21.0	29.7	763.1	645.2	1,408.3	3.9	54.2
August	410.1	721.6	25.3	37.1	758.7	641.0	1,399.7	4.9	54.2
September	417.1	727.0	24.3	35.7	762.7	637.3	1,400.0	4.7	54.5
October	420.4	732.4	22.6	33.0	765.4	638.4	1,403.7	4.3	54.5
November	420.5	734.3	26.8	42.8	777.1	628.8	1,405.9	5.5	55.3

For footnotes see end of table.

NOTE: The tables on pages 2 to 5 contain estimates derived from the Monthly Population Survey which is conducted on a sample basis throughout Australia. Explanatory notes and a technical note about the estimates and further detailed estimates (including industry and occupation details) are contained in *The Labour Force, New South Wales* (6201.1) which is issued quarterly and is available from the Sydney Office of the ABS.

TABLE 3. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER, NSW—continued

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force ('000)	Not in labour force ('000)	Civilian population aged 15 and over ('000)	Unemployment rate (a) (per cent)	Participation rate (b) (per cent)
	Full-time workers ('000)	Total ('000)	Looking for full-time work ('000)	Total ('000)					
ALL FEMALES									
November-1991	644.3	1,069.9	80.2	107.0	1,176.9	1,175.3	2,352.2	9.1	50.0
1992	642.9	1,070.2	73.4	102.4	1,172.6	1,203.3	2,375.9	8.7	49.4
1993	682.9	1,122.2	80.0	114.4	1,236.6	1,162.0	2,398.6	9.2	51.6
1994									
September	704.9	1,170.9	71.2	110.8	1,281.7	1,138.6	2,420.3	8.6	53.0
October	704.4	1,141.0	69.1	103.0	1,243.9	1,178.4	2,422.3	8.3	51.4
November	695.0	1,150.7	66.7	98.5	1,249.2	1,175.1	2,424.3	7.9	51.5
December	712.6	1,167.7	73.6	111.1	1,278.8	1,147.5	2,426.3	8.7	52.7
1995-									
January	692.7	1,126.2	74.8	108.1	1,234.3	1,194.3	2,428.6	8.8	50.8
February	690.3	1,135.4	89.3	132.0	1,267.4	1,163.4	2,430.9	10.4	52.1
March	679.3	1,152.2	70.5	111.8	1,264.0	1,169.1	2,433.1	8.8	51.9
April	699.4	1,168.1	58.0	92.0	1,260.0	1,175.5	2,435.5	7.3	51.7
May	698.6	1,172.9	58.0	89.2	1,262.1	1,175.7	2,437.8	7.1	51.8
June	706.8	1,193.5	58.9	84.8	1,278.3	1,161.9	2,440.2	6.6	52.4
July	714.0	1,188.4	59.1	80.2	1,268.6	1,173.9	2,442.5	6.3	51.9
August	708.8	1,180.7	59.8	92.2	1,272.9	1,171.8	2,444.7	7.2	52.1
September	738.8	1,215.6	58.4	84.9	1,300.5	1,146.5	2,447.0	6.5	53.1
October	732.4	1,212.6	58.9	87.5	1,300.1	1,149.3	2,449.4	6.7	53.1
November	735.0	1,220.3	65.0	94.0	1,314.3	1,137.6	2,451.9	7.2	53.6
PERSONS									
November-1991									
1991	2,017.6	2,583.0	228.7	265.3	2,848.2	1,777.5	4,625.7	9.3	61.6
1992	1,951.1	2,524.1	246.6	288.5	2,812.5	1,858.6	4,671.1	10.3	60.2
1993	2,020.4	2,608.7	245.6	291.1	2,899.8	1,814.6	4,714.4	10.0	61.5
1994									
September	2,079.8	2,711.0	214.9	274.0	2,985.0	1,770.4	4,755.4	9.2	62.8
October	2,070.6	2,680.8	200.0	246.7	2,927.5	1,831.9	4,759.4	8.4	61.5
November	2,064.2	2,684.9	195.7	242.0	2,926.9	1,836.4	4,763.4	8.3	61.4
December	2,108.4	2,726.4	213.6	268.9	2,995.3	1,772.1	4,767.4	9.0	62.8
1995									
January	2,077.5	2,670.2	222.2	274.2	2,944.4	1,827.9	4,772.4	9.3	61.7
February	2,099.1	2,699.8	227.2	289.7	2,989.4	1,787.9	4,777.4	9.7	62.6
March	2,079.3	2,713.0	198.5	258.7	2,971.7	1,810.7	4,782.4	8.7	62.1
April	2,100.6	2,743.1	180.2	225.9	2,968.9	1,818.5	4,787.4	7.6	62.0
May	2,104.2	2,746.5	181.2	226.6	2,973.1	1,819.3	4,792.4	7.6	62.0
June	2,118.3	2,769.0	181.0	219.0	2,988.0	1,809.5	4,797.4	7.3	62.3
July	2,144.7	2,770.4	176.4	211.1	2,981.5	1,820.3	4,801.8	7.1	62.1
August	2,111.8	2,751.5	182.1	226.6	2,978.1	1,828.2	4,806.3	7.6	62.0
September	2,160.3	2,811.0	184.7	230.3	3,041.2	1,769.5	4,810.7	7.6	63.2
October	2,137.9	2,792.9	178.4	222.0	3,014.9	1,800.7	4,815.6	7.4	62.6
November	2,143.5	2,811.6	186.2	228.6	3,040.2	1,780.4	4,820.6	7.5	63.1

(a) The number of unemployed in each group expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group. (b) The labour force in each group is expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group.

**TABLE 4. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER
SYDNEY MAJOR STATISTICAL REGION (a)**

Month	Employed		Unemployed		Labour force ('000)	Not in labour force ('000)	Civilian population aged 15 and over ('000)	Unemp- loyment rate (b) (per cent)	Partici- pation rate (c) (per cent)
	Full-time workers ('000)	Total ('000)	Looking for full-time work ('000)	Total ('000)					
MALES									
November--									
1991	889.2	975.2	84.2	90.9	1,066.2	362.3	1,428.5	8.5	74.6
1992	849.2	940.2	106.6	115.1	1,055.3	387.4	1,442.7	10.9	73.1
1993	868.2	964.0	95.7	105.2	1,069.3	386.3	1,455.5	9.8	73.5
1994									
September	895.9	1,002.5	80.9	93.7	1,096.2	371.2	1,467.5	8.5	74.7
October	889.6	998.5	77.9	86.1	1,084.6	383.6	1,468.2	7.9	73.9
November	888.4	992.1	78.1	86.5	1,078.6	390.2	1,468.8	8.0	73.4
1995									
September	916.0	1,023.1	71.0	80.9	1,104.0	373.4	1,477.4	7.3	74.7
October	911.9	1,018.4	68.1	74.5	1,092.9	385.1	1,478.0	6.8	73.9
November	907.3	1,023.8	69.7	77.7	1,101.5	377.2	1,478.6	7.0	74.5
MARRIED FEMALES									
November									
1991	233.5	411.0	18.6	25.7	436.7	394.5	831.2	5.9	52.5
1992	233.7	408.7	17.2	24.5	433.2	391.9	825.1	5.7	52.5
1993	249.8	426.2	23.0	35.0	461.2	356.4	817.6	7.6	56.4
1994									
September	266.7	454.6	17.6	27.1	481.6	373.4	855.0	5.6	56.3
October	256.4	426.2	14.8	23.4	449.6	388.7	838.3	5.2	53.6
November	250.4	433.4	13.3	23.2	456.7	382.4	839.1	5.1	54.4
1995									
September	268.0	446.3	12.7	19.9	466.2	384.1	850.2	4.3	54.8
October	273.9	455.0	11.0	17.9	472.9	374.7	847.7	3.8	55.8
November	273.9	455.5	15.2	25.8	481.3	367.6	848.9	5.4	56.7
ALL FEMALES									
November --									
1991	453.4	709.9	50.9	65.0	774.9	715.9	1,490.8	8.4	52.0
1992	447.9	711.5	44.8	62.6	774.1	731.3	1,505.4	8.1	51.4
1993	487.3	748.0	48.6	71.8	819.8	698.8	1,518.7	8.8	54.0
1994									
September	492.1	781.5	46.4	68.9	850.4	680.8	1,531.1	8.1	55.5
October	491.5	756.9	45.3	67.6	824.5	707.3	1,531.8	8.2	53.8
November	480.0	766.3	42.1	60.9	827.2	705.3	1,532.5	7.4	54.0
1995									
September	514.6	784.3	31.2	47.0	831.2	708.6	1,539.9	5.7	54.0
October	508.3	792.3	32.8	47.4	839.7	700.8	1,540.5	5.6	54.5
November	512.0	797.6	34.1	53.1	850.7	690.4	1,541.1	6.2	55.2
PERSONS									
November--									
1991	1,342.6	1,685.2	135.1	155.9	1,841.1	1,078.3	2,919.3	8.5	63.1
1992	1,297.1	1,651.8	151.3	177.7	1,829.5	1,118.7	2,948.2	9.7	62.1
1993	1,355.5	1,712.0	144.3	177.0	1,889.1	1,085.1	2,974.2	9.4	63.5
1994									
September	1,388.1	1,784.0	127.3	162.6	1,946.6	1,052.0	2,998.6	8.4	64.9
October	1,381.0	1,755.4	123.2	153.7	1,909.1	1,090.9	3,000.0	8.1	63.6
November	1,368.4	1,758.4	120.2	147.4	1,905.8	1,095.5	3,001.3	7.7	63.5
1995									
September	1,430.6	1,807.4	102.2	127.9	1,935.3	1,082.0	3,017.3	6.6	64.1
October	1,420.2	1,810.7	100.8	121.9	1,932.6	1,085.9	3,018.5	6.3	64.0
November	1,419.3	1,821.4	103.8	130.8	1,952.2	1,067.6	3,019.7	6.7	64.6

(a) Sydney Major Statistical Region is equivalent to Sydney Statistical Division. (b) The number of unemployed in each group expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group. (c) The labour force in each group expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group.

TABLE 5. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: NUMBER UNEMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (a), BY AGE, NSW

Month	Age group (years)						Total
	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55 and over	
NUMBER UNEMPLOYED ('000)							
November--							
1991	48.1	48.6	69.1	50.1	30.9	18.5	265.3
1992	48.4	49.8	80.1	59.8	30.8	19.7	288.5
1993	41.4	50.3	73.4	60.6	38.5	26.9	291.1
1994---							
September	54.8	46.6	64.7	47.3	38.3	22.4	274.0
October	42.9	39.9	69.4	42.9	34.1	17.4	246.7
November	41.0	34.2	62.3	49.7	37.6	17.2	242.0
1995							
September	44.7	39.9	56.7	45.0	25.3	18.7	230.3
October	38.5	43.6	55.2	42.1	28.4	14.3	222.0
November	42.9	42.0	53.3	48.2	26.5	15.6	228.6
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (per cent)							
November							
1991	21.2	13.3	9.1	6.9	6.2	6.8	9.3
1992	22.6	13.7	10.6	8.4	5.9	7.9	10.3
1993	19.3	13.4	9.8	8.3	6.9	10.0	10.0
1994							
September	22.6	11.8	8.5	6.4	6.6	8.1	9.2
October	18.3	10.3	9.2	5.9	6.0	6.7	8.4
November	17.8	8.8	8.4	6.8	6.6	6.5	8.3
1995							
September	18.7	10.2	7.3	5.9	4.3	6.6	7.6
October	16.1	11.3	7.1	5.6	4.8	5.2	7.4
November	17.8	10.9	6.9	6.3	4.5	5.6	7.5

(a) The number of unemployed in each group expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group

TABLE 6. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT (a) NSW

Month	Duration of unemployment (weeks)							Average duration of unemployment (b) (weeks)
	Under 13 ('000)	13 and under 26 ('000)	26 and under 39 ('000)	39 and under 52 ('000)	52 and under 65 ('000)	65 and under 104 ('000)	104 and over ('000)	
November--								
1991	86.2	40.7	32.5	28.6	29.9	13.3	34.1	49.4
1992	85.0	39.3	39.5	22.8	30.5	22.0	49.4	57.3
1993	78.8	33.7	30.3	25.2	34.9	20.5	67.7	64.1
1994								
September	78.9	30.2	34.8	15.6	26.9	25.2	62.4	68.3
October	81.8	23.7	27.0	18.9	23.8	17.8	53.7	65.8
November	76.6	26.7	25.2	19.3	23.0	17.3	54.0	71.2
1995								
September	79.1	23.6	32.7	16.9	19.2	11.5	47.3	60.0
October	74.5	24.2	22.3	18.4	21.3	15.2	46.2	64.5
November	76.0	32.8	23.6	18.4	21.0	10.5	46.2	63.2

(a) Period from the time the person began looking for work or was stood down to the end of the reference week. Periods of unemployment are recorded in complete weeks and this results in a slight understatement of duration. (b) Average duration is obtained by dividing the aggregate number of weeks a group has been unemployed by the number of persons in that group.

**TABLE 7. EMPLOYED CIVILIAN WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS:
SECTOR AND FULL-TIME/PART-TIME STATUS, NSW
('000)**

Month	Sector								
	Government						Total employed		
	Private		State		Local				
	Full-time (a)	Total	Common-wealth	Full-time (a)		Total			
							Full-time (a)	Part-time (b)	Total
MALES									
February									
1991	719.0	852.6	84.4	162.5	178.5	47.0	1,012.6	149.8	1,162.6
1992	663.9	797.4	81.3	156.6	173.0	44.7	943.5	152.9	1,096.4
1993	670.4	801.1	75.5	155.0	168.7	40.3	937.9	147.7	1,085.6
1993--									
November	675.6	816.6	70.9	152.1	172.3	39.4	934.6	164.6	1,099.2
1994									
February	660.6	800.7	70.0	151.0	164.1	38.8	917.1	156.6	1,073.7
May	652.2	793.9	68.8	145.6	167.0	38.7	901.8	166.6	1,068.4
August	658.1	800.4	68.2	144.5	163.5	38.1	905.5	164.7	1,070.2
November	677.1	831.4	68.9	145.7	165.4	38.2	926.3	177.7	1,103.9
1995									
February	670.8	842.0	69.5	143.5	158.9	38.0	918.2	190.1	1,108.3
FEMALES									
February									
1991	381.8	693.8	52.9	124.5	172.1	13.7	562.5	369.9	932.5
1992	365.3	657.5	51.4	120.6	177.7	13.5	539.4	360.7	900.1
1993	367.2	664.4	49.3	122.6	174.7	13.7	541.2	360.8	902.0
1993--									
November	356.9	649.7	45.8	123.6	185.4	14.1	528.7	366.3	895.0
1994 --									
February	361.6	658.2	45.9	118.9	165.8	14.4	528.8	355.5	884.2
May	366.4	678.0	46.3	119.2	177.7	14.5	534.2	382.2	916.5
August	373.3	678.5	46.9	121.9	181.5	14.5	544.5	377.0	921.5
November	373.0	706.8	47.1	122.1	182.8	14.9	544.6	407.0	951.6
1995 --									
February	382.5	723.1	48.0	120.1	175.1	14.9	553.0	408.0	961.0
PERSONS									
February									
1991	1,100.8	1,546.4	137.3	287.0	350.6	60.7	1,575.3	519.8	2,095.1
1992	1,029.2	1,454.9	132.7	277.2	350.6	58.3	1,482.9	513.6	1,996.5
1993	1,037.6	1,465.6	124.7	277.7	343.4	54.0	1,479.1	508.5	1,987.6
1993									
November	1,032.5	1,466.3	116.7	275.7	357.7	53.5	1,463.3	530.9	1,994.2
1994									
February	1,022.2	1,458.9	115.9	269.9	329.9	53.2	1,445.8	512.1	1,957.9
May	1,018.7	1,471.9	115.1	264.7	344.7	53.1	1,436.0	548.9	1,984.9
August	1,031.5	1,478.9	115.1	266.5	345.1	52.6	1,450.0	541.7	1,991.7
November	1,050.0	1,538.2	116.0	267.8	348.2	53.1	1,470.8	584.7	2,055.5
1995--									
February	1,053.4	1,565.0	117.4	263.6	334.0	52.9	1,471.2	598.1	2,069.3

(a) Full-time employees are permanent, temporary and casual employees who normally work the agreed or award hours for a full-time employee in their occupation and received pay for any part of the reference period. If agreed or award hours do not apply, employees are regarded as full-time if they ordinarily work 35 hours or more per week. (b) Part-time employees are permanent, temporary and casual employees who are not full-time employees as previously defined.

NOTE: The tables on pages 6 and 7 contain estimates derived from the Survey of Employment and Earnings, an Australia-wide employer-based survey. Explanatory notes are contained in *Employed Wage and Salary Earners, Australia* (6248.0), which is issued quarterly and is available from the Sydney Office of the ABS. Estimates derived from the Survey of Employment and Earnings will differ from labour force estimates derived from the Monthly Population Survey for the reasons set out in the Information Paper *Comparison of Employment Estimates from the Labour Force Survey and the Survey of Employment and Earnings* (6263.0).

**TABLE 8. EMPLOYED CIVILIAN WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS:
INDUSTRY DIVISION (a), NSW
('000)**

<i>Month</i>	<i>Manufacturing</i>	<i>Construction</i>	<i>Wholesale and retail trade</i>	<i>Transport and storage</i>	<i>Finance, etc.</i>	<i>Community services (b)</i>	<i>Other industries (c)</i>	<i>Total (d)</i>
MALES								
<i>February --</i>								
1991	242.6	78.2	230.9	84.6	151.1	142.1	230.8	1,162.6
1992	221.0	73.8	220.7	73.3	144.2	144.4	216.5	1,096.4
1993	217.2	68.3	232.0	73.2	145.0	142.7	205.3	1,085.6
<i>1993</i>								
November	228.7	84.4	228.1	78.5	133.0	144.3	200.5	1,099.2
<i>1994</i>								
February	221.4	75.3	223.6	75.7	137.5	141.3	198.9	1,073.7
May	209.6	76.3	222.6	76.1	134.4	148.0	201.4	1,068.4
August	206.0	83.1	217.0	72.6	142.3	149.5	199.7	1,070.2
November	219.4	83.5	227.7	76.5	140.8	149.6	204.7	1,103.9
<i>1995</i>								
February	217.2	80.7	216.4	71.9	148.4	166.3	205.6	1,108.3
FEMALES								
<i>February --</i>								
1991	94.6	15.2	195.4	27.0	172.2	275.2	152.5	932.5
1992	84.4	15.5	188.9	23.8	165.0	280.0	141.8	900.1
1993	87.1	17.7	196.8	22.4	165.9	275.8	136.0	902.0
<i>1993</i>								
November	82.5	16.2	204.3	21.7	151.1	274.8	143.9	895.0
<i>1994</i>								
February	86.7	14.1	197.1	20.3	145.6	283.5	136.9	884.2
May	83.7	13.6	200.3	25.1	154.3	302.4	137.1	916.5
August	80.1	14.6	197.9	23.4	155.9	312.9	136.7	921.5
November	82.2	14.0	206.4	27.2	161.3	311.6	148.5	951.6
<i>1995</i>								
February	83.7	16.0	206.1	25.5	166.7	312.9	149.7	961.0
PERSONS								
<i>February</i>								
1991	337.3	93.4	426.3	111.5	323.3	417.3	383.1	2,095.1
1992	305.4	89.3	409.6	97.1	309.2	424.3	358.4	1,996.5
1993	304.3	86.1	428.8	95.7	310.9	418.5	341.2	1,987.6
<i>1993</i>								
November	311.3	100.6	432.5	100.1	284.2	419.2	344.4	1,994.2
<i>1994</i>								
February	308.1	89.4	420.7	96.0	283.1	424.9	335.7	1,957.9
May	293.3	89.9	422.9	101.2	288.7	450.4	338.5	1,984.9
August	286.1	97.7	414.9	96.0	298.3	462.4	336.4	1,991.7
November	301.6	97.5	434.1	103.7	302.1	461.2	353.2	2,055.5
<i>1995</i>								
February	300.9	96.7	422.5	97.4	315.1	479.2	355.3	2,069.3

(a) Classified in accordance with the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) described in *Australian Standard Industrial Classification Volume 1 - The Classification* (1201.0). (b) Includes Education, Health Services, Law and Order, and Religious and Social Welfare Services. (c) Comprises Mining, Electricity, Gas and Water, Communication, Public Administration and Defence, and Recreation, Personal and Other Services. (d) Includes employees of government agencies classified to Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting.

TABLE 9. JOB VACANCIES, NSW: SECTOR AND INDUSTRY

Survey date	Sector		Industry		Total ('000)	Job vacancy rate (a) (per cent)
	Private ('000)	Public ('000)	Manufacturing ('000)	Other ('000)		
1994						
20 May	13.1	4.6	*2.1	15.6	17.7	0.9
19 August	23.4	4.8	*3.2	25.0	28.2	1.3
18 November	24.8	4.5	2.8	26.5	29.3	1.3
1995						
17 February	19.3	4.8	3.0	21.1	24.1	1.1
19 May	20.8	3.1	2.5	21.4	23.9	1.1
18 August	28.6	3.5	3.4	28.6	32.0	1.4

(a) The job vacancy rate is calculated by expressing the number of job vacancies as a percentage of the number of employees plus vacancies.

TABLE 10. OVERTIME (a), NSW

Period (b)	Average weekly overtime hours per employee (c)		Average weekly overtime hours per employee working overtime (d)	Percentage of employees working overtime (e)
	Manufacturing industries	Total industries		
1994 -				
May	3.59	1.40	7.47	18.76
August	2.94	1.17	6.84	17.17
November	3.19	1.28	7.44	17.16
1995				
February	2.59	1.13	7.23	15.64
May	2.50	1.18	7.10	16.57
August	2.13	1.12	6.95	16.11

(a) Overtime is time worked in excess of award, standard or agreed hours of work for which payment is received. Overtime hours represent the number of hours of overtime paid for. (b) The figures shown are based on the last pay period ending on or before the third Friday of the month shown. (c) Calculated by dividing total overtime hours paid for in each group by the total number of employees in the same group. (d) Calculated by dividing total overtime hours paid for by the number of employees who were paid for overtime. (e) The number of employees who were paid for overtime as a percentage of the total number of employees.

TABLE 11. WORKING DAYS LOST (a) IN INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES WHICH OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD (b), NSW ('000)

Period	Manufacturing			Construction	Transport and storage; Communication services	Other industries	Total
	Mining	Metal product; Machinery and equipment	Other				
1992	48.4	42.6	10.5	10.5	9.1	53.2	174.3
1993	46.5	57.4	11.2	5.0	5.0	53.3	178.3
1994	80.8	25.1	14.6	0.1	20.3	82.2	223.2
1994							
June	1.4	1.3	1.0	--	--	0.9	4.6
July	1.4	2.6	5.2	0.1	0.1	1.1	10.5
August	4.8	8.3	1.3	--	1.1	2.4	17.9
September	1.7	2.4	0.5	--	4.1	--	8.7
October	1.4	6.7	1.8	--	--	0.3	10.2
November	2.3	0.2	3.1	--	2.0	65.3	72.9
December	0.7	0.4	1.5	--	5.4	0.3	8.3
1995							
January	0.3	1.4	--	--	1.0	0.1	2.8
February	2.3	2.1	0.3	0.1	--	1.6	6.4
March	0.8	4.8	2.0	--	0.3	1.0	8.9
April	1.4	3.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	--	5.2
May	5.7	0.5	2.0	--	1.8	--	10.0
June	1.9	0.3	--	1.4	0.2	2.8	6.6
July	2.0	0.3	0.1	--	0.5	0.1	3.0
August	3.5	0.5	4.3	--	0.4	4.6	13.3

(a) Working days lost refer to days lost by: (i) employees who were directly involved in the dispute, and (ii) employees who worked in establishments where stoppages occurred but were not themselves parties to the disputes; excluded is the time lost, as a result of the disputes, by employees in other establishments

(b) Relates to industrial disputes involving a stoppage of work for a minimum of 10 working days, regardless of the length of the stoppage, for example, 80 employees on strike for one hour. Disputes are classified by industry according to the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC). Disputes prior to January 1994 are classified by industry according to the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC).

TABLE 12. AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS OF EMPLOYEES, NSW (dollars)

Period (a)	Males			Females			Persons		
	Full-time adults		All males	Full-time adults		All females	Full-time adults		All employees
	Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings		Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings		Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings	
August 1991	616.70	659.60	590.30	514.50	526.30	390.10	581.50	613.70	501.50
1992	638.60	684.40	620.90	524.70	535.60	421.20	596.70	629.70	530.50
1993	652.20	701.50	636.10	549.50	562.10	430.70	614.90	650.80	542.10
1994									
May	672.30	730.00	634.00	567.80	582.40	444.40	634.30	676.40	549.20
August	679.00	735.50	658.00	574.10	590.20	444.30	641.30	683.30	560.80
November	693.10	755.50	670.10	581.10	597.70	439.80	652.20	697.90	562.30
1995									
February	709.40	767.70	680.00	590.60	606.70	449.00	665.50	708.30	571.80
May	722.10	779.10	682.40	593.70	610.10	451.20	673.90	715.60	573.20
August	732.50	790.60	687.90	602.70	619.00	455.20	684.10	726.70	578.50

(a) Weekly earnings are based on the last pay period ending on or before the third Friday of the month shown.

TABLE 13. AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED ITEMS, SYDNEY
(cents)

Item	Unit	June qtr 1991	June qtr 1992	June qtr 1993	June qtr 1994	Sept. qtr 1994	Dec. qtr 1994	March qtr 1995	June qtr 1995	Sept. qtr 1995
Milk, carton (a) (b)	1 litre	93	99	101	102	104	105	107	108	110
Butter	500 g	192	160	164	162	172	174	156	156	160
Bread, white loaf, sliced (a)	680 g	150	156	167	166	163	170	177	179	185
Flour, self raising	2 kg	259	274	275	285	298	294	303	305	311
Rice, medium grain	1 kg	111	107	114	119	114	123	121	117	123
Rump steak	1 kg	1,190	1,181	1,270	1,283	1,257	1,236	1,267	1,260	1,299
Silverside, corned	1 kg	745	739	712	718	715	705	724	725	737
Lamb, leg	1 kg	509	508	601	602	581	607	599	623	652
Lamb, loin chops	1 kg	597	579	719	714	644	682	701	755	801
Chicken, frozen	1 kg	293	276	271	295	275	277	303	295	268
Bacon, middle rashers	250 g pkt	251	296	276	264	264	284	282	285	287
Potatoes	1 kg	70	75	74	74	68	109	107	98	116
Onions	1 kg	88	84	133	114	108	108	121	140	190
Eggs (d)	55 g, 1 doz.	170	166	187	192	194	192	196	218	238
Sugar, white	2 kg	185	175	208	199	204	203	206	206	213
Margarine, poly-unsaturated	500 g	144	150	144	126	135	160	153	164	172
Tea	250 g	182	175	178	186	185	177	185	181	184
Coffee, instant	150 g jar	436	423	434	449	374	526	583	573	580
Pet food	410 g	88	90	97	94	88	91	94	95	95
Petrol, leaded	1 litre	63.5	67.1	65.5	68.7	70.1	67.8	68.9	70.6	72.4
Beer, full strength, unchilled (c)	24 x 375 ml bottles	2,294	2,364	2,501	2,516	2,534	2,521	2,517	2,516	2,589
Toilet soap	2 x 125 g	148	156	159	151	144	158	154	164	170

(a) Supermarket sales. (b) Prior to September quarter 1991 published as Milk bottled, delivered 2 x 600 ml. (c) Prior to March quarter 1992 the unit was 12 x 750 ml bottles. (d) Eggs in Sydney have a net carton weight of 700g per dozen

NOTE: Prices shown are the averages of prices for specified grades, qualities, brands, etc. charged by a number of selected retailers in Sydney. They should be regarded as no more than approximate indicators of price levels and price changes for the items concerned.

TABLE 14. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
(Base of each group index: 1989-90 = 100.0)

Group	June qtr 1991	June qtr 1992	June qtr 1993	June qtr 1994	Sept. qtr 1994	Dec. qtr 1994	March qtr 1995	June qtr 1995	Sept. qtr 1995
Sydney									
Food	104.1	106.4	107.8	109.4	110.2	111.4	113.4	114.0	116.0
Clothing	106.5	106.1	108.0	106.0	106.6	106.6	106.0	107.0	106.7
Housing	102.5	96.8	96.1	95.9	96.8	99.1	104.4	106.6	107.4
Household equipment and operation	105.4	107.6	106.0	106.0	106.2	106.6	107.1	108.5	109.0
Transportation	105.6	107.0	109.9	112.7	115.3	114.9	115.4	116.8	121.1
Tobacco and alcohol	110.3	118.3	130.7	138.1	139.9	141.9	143.3	150.2	158.3
Health and personal care	110.6	116.2	120.4	124.4	126.3	126.0	128.7	129.7	130.4
Recreation and education	104.5	106.0	110.3	112.5	112.0	112.6	113.8	115.5	115.8
Sydney: All groups	105.4	106.5	108.4	110.0	111.0	111.8	113.7	115.4	117.3
Eight capitals (a), All groups	106.0	107.3	109.3	111.2	111.9	112.8	114.7	116.2	117.6

(a) Weighted average of eight capital cities

NOTE: The Consumer Price Index is designed to measure quarterly variations in the level of retail prices for goods and services which represent a high proportion of the expenditure of wage and salary earner households. The index covers a large and representative selection of commodities and services arranged in eight major groups.

TABLE 15. PRICE INDEXES OF MATERIALS USED IN HOUSE BUILDING
(Base of each group index: 1985-86 = 100.0)

Item	June 1993	June 1994	June 1995	October 1994	August 1995	September 1995	October 1995
Sydney, selected items—							
Ready mixed concrete	133.6	145.0	148.6	148.5	147.0	147.0	146.9
Clay bricks	161.4	169.4	175.3	174.8	175.2	175.2	175.2
Structural timber	156.2	166.1	161.1	164.1	159.1	158.2	155.0
Cupboards and built-in furniture	153.9	154.8	162.2	153.9	160.4	160.7	161.4
Builders' hardware	153.0	157.6	167.9	157.7	161.7	162.6	164.1
Aluminium windows and doors	134.3	132.9	151.6	140.4	149.2	148.1	148.1
Timber doors and frames	124.3	131.9	138.4	135.0	138.1	138.1	138.1
Metal sheet, fascia and guttering	156.9	156.2	158.2	155.8	157.2	156.9	156.9
Ceramic tiles	124.5	124.5	123.4	123.7	122.0	122.4	122.2
Paint	165.3	157.6	161.0	159.3	159.7	159.8	159.8
<i>Sydney, All groups</i>	<i>152.5</i>	<i>157.6</i>	<i>162.3</i>	<i>159.3</i>	<i>161.6</i>	<i>161.6</i>	<i>161.0</i>
Six capitals (a), All groups	148.8	154.3	158.0	155.8	157.8	157.6	157.3

(a) Weighted average of six State capital cities

TABLE 16. PRICE INDEXES OF MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING
(Base of each group index: 1989-90 = 100.0)

Item	June 1993	June 1994	June 1995	October 1994	August 1995	September 1995	October 1995
Sydney, selected items—							
Structural timber	128.2	135.6	130.0	132.9	126.2	125.4	122.3
Clay bricks	96.9	101.1	105.2	102.8	105.1	105.1	105.1
Ready mixed concrete	91.1	98.0	101.4	100.7	100.5	100.3	100.3
Precast concrete products	105.0	106.0	110.5	109.9	112.2	112.2	112.4
Steel decking and cladding	112.7	112.4	111.0	112.4	112.6	110.4	110.7
Structural steel	109.9	108.6	108.8	107.0	108.3	108.4	109.7
Reinforcing steel bar, fabric and mesh	121.5	120.6	118.1	120.7	121.1	121.1	121.0
Aluminium windows	99.0	100.2	110.1	103.5	109.9	109.6	109.6
Fabricated steel products (a)	105.1	104.4	107.0	104.9	108.1	108.4	108.8
Builders' hardware	112.2	117.9	121.7	117.2	121.7	122.2	122.3
Sand and aggregate	113.1	115.4	116.8	116.3	116.8	116.8	112.8
Carpet	98.7	99.2	102.2	98.9	101.3	101.3	101.9
Paint and other coatings	123.4	122.5	124.7	123.6	123.9	124.0	124.0
Non-ferrous pipes and fittings	107.4	115.4	127.7	117.7	135.3	135.4	135.7
Sydney, special combinations—							
All electrical materials	107.9	110.7	123.2	113.1	125.7	126.6	125.5
All mechanical services	107.6	108.9	112.3	109.6	113.1	113.0	113.7
All plumbing materials	113.9	118.3	124.4	120.0	128.5	128.6	128.6
All groups excluding electrical materials and mechanical services	106.2	108.2	111.1	109.2	111.2	111.1	111.3
<i>Sydney, All groups</i>	<i>106.6</i>	<i>108.4</i>	<i>111.9</i>	<i>109.4</i>	<i>112.4</i>	<i>112.3</i>	<i>112.5</i>
Six capitals (b), All groups	106.6	108.6	111.8	109.5	112.4	112.5	112.7

(a) Previously 'Steel windows, doors, louvres and other fabricated steelwork' (b) Weighted average of six State capital cities

NOTE: Each of the indexes shown is a separate and distinct price index. The composition of the groups of each index is in accordance with materials usage in the class of building covered by that index. Further information regarding these indexes is published in *Price Index of Materials Used in Building Other Than House Building, Six State Capital Cities and Canberra* (6407.0) and *Price Index of Materials Used in House Building, Six State Capital Cities and Canberra* (6408.0).

TABLE 17. MINE PRODUCTION (a) OF PRINCIPAL METALS AND SULPHUR, NSW

(Source: NSW Department of Mineral Resources)

Period	Mineral sands							
	Copper (tonnes)	Gold (c) (kg)	Lead (tonnes)	Titanium dioxide (b) (tonnes)	Zircon (ZrSiO ₄) (b) (tonnes)	Silver (c) (kg)	Sulphur (tonnes)	Zinc (tonnes)
1992-93	54,528	7,754	221,498	51,512	44,008	269,039	313,487	323,013
1993-94	58,796	7,434	216,375	40,774	34,409	235,520	307,065	331,764
1994-95	67,877	8,784	211,546	37,880	31,326	231,772	305,943	331,094
1994—								
March qtr	14,062	1,816	41,878	6,675	5,791	48,470	68,712	76,853
June qtr	14,536	1,682	60,224	11,254	9,259	63,301	77,938	82,232
September qtr	17,847	2,357	59,082	9,812	9,508	63,696	80,710	89,066
December qtr	20,137	2,059	45,694	8,077	6,993	54,137	77,219	84,671
1995—								
March qtr	14,835	2,027	53,316	8,174	6,255	57,638	75,690	80,784
June qtr	15,058	2,341	53,454	11,817	8,570	56,301	72,324	76,573

(a) These are gross contents of metallic minerals produced, as determined by assay, and make no allowance for losses in smelting and refining. The quantities shown are therefore, in general, greater than those actually recoverable. (b) Includes the metallic contents (when finally separated) of zircon-rutile concentrates recovered in NSW and finally separated in Queensland. Excludes the metallic contents of zircon-rutile concentrates recovered in Queensland or imported into Australia and finally separated in NSW. (c) Content of fine metal.

TABLE 18. COAL PRODUCTION IN NSW

(Source: Joint Coal Board)

('000 tonnes)

Period	Raw coal won (a)						Output of saleable coal total (b)
	Northern district	Southern district	Western district	All districts			
				Underground	Open cut	Total	
1992-93	70,520	18,143	14,251	50,419	52,495	102,914	84,211
1993-94	72,693	16,217	13,045	46,791	55,164	101,955	84,014
1994-95	79,110	14,648	14,445	48,838	59,365	108,203	88,100
1994—							
June	6,783	1,077	749	3,520	5,089	8,609	6,800
July	6,315	1,192	1,144	3,846	4,805	8,651	6,900
August	7,284	1,510	1,566	4,913	5,447	10,360	8,500
September	6,653	1,505	1,156	4,356	4,958	9,314	7,600
October	6,157	1,300	1,302	3,736	5,023	8,759	7,000
November	6,419	983	1,471	3,788	5,085	8,873	6,000
December	6,520	1,181	1,245	4,069	4,877	8,946	8,300
1995							
January	6,096	997	1,178	3,882	4,389	8,271	7,100
February	6,922	1,231	1,062	4,202	5,013	9,215	7,700
March	7,006	1,323	947	4,136	5,140	9,276	7,900
April	5,227	966	684	2,779	4,098	6,877	4,750
May	7,345	1,174	1,280	4,553	5,246	9,799	8,050
June	7,137	1,299	1,203	4,431	5,208	9,639	8,300
July	6,372	1,336	1,422	4,413	4,717	9,130	7,400
August	8,790	1,326	1,817	5,545	6,388	11,933	8,500

(a) Gross output drawn from the mine, prior to treatment in coal washeries for removal of unwanted material, but excluding dirt and chitter dumped or not otherwise used. (b) Raw coal production less rejects removed at coal industry washeries plus/less unexplained stock adjustments at mines only.

TABLE 19. RECEIVALS OF TAXABLE WOOL (a) BY BROKERS AND DEALERS, NSW (b)
(tonnes, greasy wool basis)

Period	Wool received by brokers (c)				Wool received by dealers	Total wool receipts
	Sydney	Newcastle	Goulburn	Total		
1992-93	135,735	38,912	21,602	196,249	50,917	247,166
1993-94	118,543	32,081	18,574	169,205	36,956	206,505
1994-95	100,008	28,003	18,970	146,980	29,023	175,587
<i>1994</i>						
July	7,120	3,154	2,099	12,373	2,486	14,859
August	12,484	4,507	2,038	19,029	3,017	22,047
September	14,734	5,169	2,666	22,569	3,550	26,118
October	10,198	5,088	2,888	18,173	3,232	21,405
November	9,990	2,312	2,663	14,965	3,240	17,612
December	5,849	1,364	1,770	8,982	2,058	11,040
<i>1995 -</i>						
January	5,729	1,385	1,374	8,488	1,305	9,794
February	7,789	1,360	849	9,998	2,135	12,293
March	8,536	1,266	625	10,427	2,660	13,087
April	5,794	675	524	6,993	1,728	8,721
May	5,783	904	868	7,555	1,720	9,292
June	6,003	819	605	7,428	1,892	9,319
July	7,419	1,738	785	9,942	1,814	11,757
August	9,894	3,034	1,578	14,506	2,074	16,580
September	10,900	3,036	2,194	16,130	2,516	18,646

(a) Excludes wool received by brokers and dealers on which tax has already been paid by other dealers (private buyers) or brokers. (b) Excludes Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre). (c) Relates to data reported by the National Council of Wool Selling Brokers (NCWSB).

TABLE 20. WOOL SALES AT AUCTION (a), NSW (b)

Period	Wool in store at end of period (tonnes)	Wool sold during period				Amount realised (\$'000)	Average price realised per kg (cents)
		Sydney (tonnes)	Newcastle (tonnes)	Goulburn (tonnes)	Total (tonnes)		
1992-93	18,378	137,190	37,404	22,909	197,500	652,778	330.52
1993-94	13,601	125,755	32,018	14,860	160,370	633,331	366.43
1994-95	15,407	105,256	28,166	15,907	149,329	808,280	541.27
<i>1994--</i>							
July	20,352	6,154	288	241	6,682	25,657	383.97
August	20,837	10,886	3,708	1,034	15,628	70,858	453.40
September	23,392	12,602	5,375	2,628	20,605	110,934	538.39
October	24,520	11,426	4,669	1,409	17,504	111,646	637.82
November	23,567	12,830	266	4,381	17,477	109,754	628.01
December	22,898	5,753	3,925	298	9,977	54,040	541.67
<i>1995</i>							
January	23,402	6,352	515	89	6,956	39,031	561.14
February	18,902	9,253	2,179	2,602	14,033	82,866	590.50
March	15,937	9,921	4,600	1,520	16,041	89,204	556.11
April	15,824	6,740	738	349	7,827	37,343	477.10
May	17,034	5,710	524	571	6,803	31,602	464.18
June	15,407	7,629	1,381	786	9,796	45,345	462.88
July	31,048	3,238	195	130	3,562	15,038	422.15
August	36,663	6,963	1,407	816	9,186	42,154	458.87
September	43,582	6,266	1,745	475	8,486	39,259	462.63

(a) Relates to data reported by the National Council of Wool Selling Brokers (NCWSB). (b) Excludes Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre).

TABLE 21. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED (FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION) AND MEAT PRODUCTION, NSW

Period	Mutton produced (b)			Lamb produced (b)			Cattle (incl. calves) slaughtered (a) ('000)
	Sheep slaughtered (a) ('000)	Original (tonnes)	Seasonally adjusted (tonnes)	Lambs slaughtered (a) ('000)	Original (tonnes)	Seasonally adjusted (tonnes)	
1992-93	5,233.6	105,819	..	4,140.2	72,608	..	2,282.3
1993-94	6,066.9	127,582	..	3,991.7	69,246	..	2,209.3
1994-95	6,559.1	130,637	..	4,104.1	71,165	..	2,289.8
July-October --							
1994-95	2,278.8	46,256	..	1,529.7	27,607	..	789.5
1995-96	1,848.9	38,921	..	1,213.8	21,951	..	718.5
1994- ..							
August	504.7	10,049	11,160	485.6	9,004	8,081	206.7
September	645.9	12,982	12,813	337.9	6,022	5,741	208.5
October	656.0	13,385	12,747	321.8	5,665	5,516	205.3
November	704.9	14,445	11,668	315.0	5,547	5,184	224.1
December	538.2	10,989	10,996	276.5	4,555	5,167	166.8
1995							
January	534.4	10,742	10,207	413.3	5,475	5,833	167.0
February	492.9	9,443	8,558	292.4	5,096	5,460	168.0
March	560.5	10,958	8,741	351.7	6,462	6,170	203.8
April	457.5	8,894	10,146	318.6	5,632	6,294	169.7
May	557.6	10,509	10,871	337.7	5,971	5,367	211.5
June	434.3	8,400	10,839	269.2	4,818	4,847	189.5
July	452.8	9,149	10,993	274.3	4,975	4,986	168.0
August	437.3	9,000	9,892	324.1	5,845	5,287	195.8
September	434.3	9,267	9,204	306.5	5,519	5,422	177.3
October	524.5	11,505	10,842	308.9	5,612	5,287	177.4
Period	Beef and veal produced (b)			Pig meats produced (b)(c)			Dressed weight of chickens (d)(e) (tonnes)
	Original (tonnes)	Seasonally adjusted (tonnes)	Pigs slaughtered (a) ('000)	Original (tonnes)	Seasonally adjusted (tonnes)	Chickens slaughtered (d) ('000)	
1992-93	487,761	..	1,480.5	94,760	..	117,086	176,465
1993-94	483,938	..	1,490.9	98,606	..	129,735	193,137
1994-95	486,250	..	1,488.5	100,434	..	134,719	195,195
July-October--							
1994-95	170,159	..	478.2	31,257	..	44,524	66,764
1995-96	147,886	..	479.2	33,536	..	43,788	64,622
1994							
August	44,356	43,670	134.5	8,460	8,186	10,541	15,484
September	45,066	42,669	111.9	7,430	7,097	11,959	18,426
October	43,435	43,873	121.5	7,971	8,501	10,864	16,157
November	46,739	40,048	129.2	8,452	8,220	10,463	15,370
December	35,890	37,968	139.9	8,611	8,254	16,299	18,354
1995							
January	35,455	37,647	110.0	7,143	8,491	8,344	12,702
February	35,536	36,665	114.7	7,270	8,031	10,821	16,211
March	43,718	38,904	131.4	9,591	8,434	12,386	19,072
April	36,125	40,074	113.0	8,320	9,170	10,444	15,352
May	44,213	41,454	132.8	10,139	9,229	10,389	15,342
June	38,415	40,358	139.4	9,650	8,916	11,051	16,026
July	32,445	37,450	117.9	8,182	8,637	11,164	16,385
August	40,918	39,459	120.2	9,208	8,862	10,754	15,976
September	37,455	36,706	127.0	8,399	8,304	11,332	16,867
October	37,068	36,806	114.1	7,747	8,115	10,538	15,394

(a) Includes livestock slaughtered on farms. (b) 'Bone-in' weight basis. Includes meat produced on farms. (c) Includes meats later converted to bacon and ham.
 (d) Comprises broilers, fryers, or roasters. (e) Dressed weight of birds, pieces and giblets, as reported by individual producers

TABLE 22. PRODUCTION OF FOOD PRODUCTS, NSW

Period	Whole milk (a)(b)		Butter (b)(c) (tonnes)	Cheese (b) (tonnes)	Wheat flour other than self raising (tonnes)	Confectionery	
	Original (mill L)	Seasonally adjusted (mill L)				Chocolate (tonnes)	Other (tonnes)
1992-93	997	..	3,377	16,919	617,887	18,321	25,053
1993-94	1,098	..	4,598	19,163	671,044	19,081	24,519
1994-95	1,087	..	4,627	16,122	699,948	17,841	23,510
July-August							
1994-95	181	..	915	2,392	117,827	3,452	4,559
1995-96	n.y.a.	..	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	120,640	2,837	4,137
1994							
June	85	95	448	1,022	60,548	1,567	2,214
July	89	94	473	1,106	56,230	1,464	2,074
August	92	91	442	1,286	61,597	1,988	2,485
September	96	90	423	1,571	60,375	1,755	2,310
October	101	89	438	1,795	57,994	1,380	2,078
November	96	89	394	1,783	63,632	1,633	2,315
December	96	89	325	1,624	55,698	1,235	1,899
1995							
January	97	91	465	1,611	51,106	1,081	1,021
February	86	94	325	1,383	54,154	1,417	1,777
March	89	92	393	1,392	59,230	1,746	1,840
April	81	91	357	1,000	52,362	1,159	1,539
May	82	89	261	934	61,801	1,383	1,930
June	82	91	331	637	65,769	1,600	2,241
July	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	56,674	1,257	2,037
August	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	63,966	1,580	2,100

(a) Intake by factories (b) Source: Australian Dairy Corporation. (c) Includes direct butter-oil production

TABLE 23. PRODUCTION OF TEXTILES, CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR, NSW

Period	Woven fabric (a)		Men's and boys' clothing (b)			Footwear (e)		
	Cotton (⁰⁰⁰ sq m)	Man-made fibres (⁰⁰⁰ sq m)	Shirts (⁰⁰⁰) (c)	Sports coats and blazers (number)	Long trousers (number) (d)	Men's (f) (⁰⁰⁰ pairs)	Women's (f) (⁰⁰⁰ pairs)	Children's (⁰⁰⁰ pairs)
1992-93	10,597	71,116	6,437	66,557	579,912	1,448	2,334	447
1993-94	14,345	72,241	5,266	59,353	484,453	1,687	2,398	278
1994-95	15,288	75,125	5,088	51,475	467,356	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
July-August								
1994-95	2,790	13,531	1,049	6,699	63,649	247	368	64
1995-96	2,486	12,490	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1994								
June	1,386	6,464	454	5,615	32,600	130	208	35
July	1,346	6,256	479	2,937	30,830	107	175	29
August	1,444	7,275	570	3,762	32,819	140	193	35
September	1,450	6,953	602	4,258	31,172	133	236	36
October	1,360	6,835	1,308	12,822	127,368	125	148	38
November	1,277	7,314				151	147	39
December	1,205	5,518				97	113	33
1995								
January	577	4,684	1,040	13,416	114,692	57	85	27
February	1,162	6,366				88	166	33
March	1,706	6,959				n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
April	1,056	4,675	1,089	14,280	130,475	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
May	1,245	6,275				n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
June	1,460	6,015				n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
July	1,257	6,036	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
August	1,229	6,454	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

(a) Mixtures are included with the predominant fibre. (b) From October 1994, this data is available on a quarterly basis only. (c) Includes knitted and woven fabric. Excludes sweatshirts and nightshirts. (d) Excludes jeans and waterproof type, trousers for uniforms, work trousers and suit trousers if part of complete suits. (e) Excludes thongs, waterproof and sports footwear. (f) Refers to size 2 second series and above

NOTE: Monthly data for the production items shown in the tables are collected quarterly and published on a three-monthly cycle basis.

TABLE 24. PRODUCTION OF PLASTICS AND BUILDING MATERIALS, NSW

Period	Plastics in primary forms (a) (tonnes)	Sydney Statistical Division ('000)	Bricks, clay (b)		Tiles, roofing (Terra cotta and concrete) (c)(d) ('000 sq m)	Concrete blocks, bricks and pavers (tonnes)
			New South Wales (c)			
			Original ('000)	Seasonally adjusted ('000)		
1992-93	282,968	487,019	676,928	..	8,821	486,089
1993-94	299,014	540,342	710,936	..	8,563	551,742
1994-95	341,128	n.a.	745,660	..	n.a.	n.a.
<i>July-August</i>						
1994-95	58,546	103,367	132,283	..	1,657	102,646
1995-96	66,462	n.a.	120,931	..	n.a.	n.a.
1994						
June	29,113	47,455	61,730	61,093	814	52,668
July	24,872	48,359	62,429	61,893	754	46,280
August	33,674	55,008	69,854	61,763	903	56,366
September	28,370	47,612	61,931	60,200	759	54,293
October	31,412	46,854	60,939	62,079	694	55,872
November	30,660	51,911	66,261	60,301	750	60,893
December	27,475	45,308	57,641	63,887	316	43,702
1995						
January	28,911	42,186	52,500	73,079	213	38,973
February	25,985	46,069	59,349	62,667	809	53,777
March	31,228	n.a.	63,300	56,905	n.a.	n.a.
April	25,960	n.a.	54,574	61,434	n.a.	n.a.
May	24,508	n.a.	72,504	61,636	n.a.	n.a.
June	28,073	n.a.	64,378	64,844	n.a.	n.a.
July	34,163	n.a.	61,021	60,317	n.a.	n.a.
August	32,299	n.a.	59,910	52,434	n.a.	n.a.

(a) Dry weight. (b) For structural purposes. (c) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (d) Flat surface measure.

TABLE 25. PRODUCTION OF ELECTRICITY AND GAS, NSW

Period	Electricity		Gas, mains (a)	
	Original (mill. kWh)	Seasonally adjusted (mill. kWh)	Original (mill. MJ)	Seasonally adjusted (mill. MJ)
1992-93	57,794	..	96,215	..
1993-94	57,792	..	97,987	..
1994-95	60,016	..	104,881	..
July-September—				
1994-95	15,862	..	30,505	..
1995-96	16,528	..	n.p.	..
1994:—				
July	5,486	4,974	10,665	9,007
August	5,517	5,017	10,610	8,887
September	4,859	4,861	9,229	8,744
October	4,764	4,939	8,578	8,652
November	4,721	5,018	8,086	8,448
December	4,846	5,087	7,323	8,507
1995				
January	4,770	5,003	7,194	8,803
February	4,546	5,001	6,916	8,152
March	4,926	5,113	8,077	8,465
April	4,705	5,120	8,336	9,102
May	5,278	5,027	9,440	8,731
June	5,598	4,949	10,425	9,185
July	5,913	5,333	11,364	9,535
August	5,520	4,975	10,301	8,665
September	5,095	5,138	n.p.	n.p.

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

TABLE 26. NUMBER OF NEW DWELLING UNITS (a) IN NSW: CLASSIFIED BY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION

Period	Total							
	Houses		Other residential buildings (b)		Private sector		Total	
	Private sector	Total	Private sector	Total	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted
COMMENCED								
1992-93	26,554	27,397	14,225	17,064	40,779	.	44,461	..
1993-94	28,547	29,162	16,385	18,019	44,932	..	47,181	..
1994-95	27,726	28,200	21,345	23,103	49,071	.	51,303	..
1994—								
March qtr	6,153	6,247	3,642	3,922	9,795	10,874	10,169	11,351
June qtr	8,292	8,526	4,332	4,761	12,624	12,780	13,287	13,325
September qtr	8,072	8,256	5,948	6,482	14,020	13,395	14,738	13,928
December qtr	7,382	7,486	5,523	5,762	12,905	12,101	13,248	12,632
1995								
March qtr	6,090	6,137	4,922	5,204	11,012	12,255	11,341	12,678
June qtr	6,182	6,321	4,952	5,655	11,134	11,256	11,976	11,988
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD								
1992-93	15,326	15,716	10,377	12,198	25,703	.	27,914	.
1993-94	15,727	15,925	11,762	12,692	27,489	.	28,617	..
1994-95	14,664	14,783	16,708	17,768	31,372	..	32,551	..
1994 .								
March qtr	13,807	13,896	10,800	11,440	24,607	n.a.	25,336	25,521
June qtr	15,727	15,925	11,762	12,692	27,489	n.a.	28,617	28,572
September qtr	16,185	16,437	13,593	14,758	29,778	n.a.	31,195	31,147
December qtr	15,158	15,279	15,171	16,061	30,329	n.a.	31,340	31,767
1995 .								
March qtr	14,853	14,952	16,426	17,299	31,279	n.a.	33,251	33,958
June qtr	14,664	14,783	16,708	17,768	31,372	n.a.	32,551	32,368
COMPLETED								
1992-93	26,519	27,182	12,548	15,840	39,067	..	43,022	..
1993-94	27,823	28,630	14,709	17,230	42,532	..	45,860	..
1994-95	28,391	28,940	15,727	17,326	44,118	.	46,266	..
1994 .								
March qtr	6,761	6,847	3,865	4,063	10,626	11,533	10,910	11,736
June qtr	6,295	6,420	3,297	3,436	9,592	9,815	9,856	10,478
September qtr	7,535	7,666	4,057	4,356	11,592	11,750	12,022	11,919
December qtr	8,326	8,561	3,862	4,347	12,188	10,919	12,908	11,478
1995								
March qtr	6,177	6,241	3,420	3,719	9,597	10,426	9,960	10,711
June qtr	6,352	6,471	4,388	4,904	10,740	10,991	11,375	12,131

(a) Comprises new houses and dwelling units in new other residential buildings. Dwelling units which result from conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings are not included. (b) The classification 'Other residential buildings' includes flats (including home units), semi-detached cottages, villa units, town houses and similar types of residential buildings.

TABLE 27. NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS (a) APPROVED IN NSW

Period	New houses		New other residential building		Conversions etc.	Total (a)		Total
	Private sector	Public sector	Private sector	Public sector		Private sector	Public sector	
1992-93	28,653	869	16,308	2,667	1,365	46,318	3,544	49,862
1993-94	30,051	561	17,744	1,554	2,453	50,234	2,129	52,363
1994-95	28,578	423	21,979	1,811	2,073	52,604	2,260	54,864
July-October--								
1994-95	11,150	189	8,670	513	1,063	20,880	705	21,585
1995-96	8,593	157	5,855	554	288	14,736	711	15,447
1994								
August	2,985	61	3,078	100	139	6,202	161	6,363
September	2,728	34	2,545	145	758	6,031	179	6,210
October	2,809	33	1,613	50	104	4,526	83	4,609
November	2,865	21	1,564	40	99	4,528	61	4,589
December	2,029	11	1,946	113	104	4,079	124	4,203
1995								
January	2,041	17	1,527	161	134	3,694	186	3,880
February	1,998	30	1,755	60	150	3,903	90	3,993
March	2,100	58	1,841	107	61	4,002	165	4,167
April	1,802	27	1,410	251	259	3,471	278	3,749
May	2,526	38	2,073	327	85	4,677	372	5,049
June	2,067	32	1,193	239	118	3,370	279	3,649
July	2,132	10	1,812	174	73	4,017	184	4,201
August	2,264	32	1,236	249	53	3,553	281	3,834
September	2,205	81	1,427	56	99	3,731	137	3,868
October	1,992	34	1,380	75	63	3,435	109	3,544

(a) Includes dwelling units approved as part of the construction of non-residential building and alterations and additions to existing buildings (including conversions to dwelling units)

TABLE 28. VALUE OF RESIDENTIAL AND NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING APPROVED IN NSW (\$ million)

Period	New residential buildings		Alterations and additions (a) to residential buildings	Total residential building	Non-residential building (b)		Total all building
	Private sector	Total			Private sector	Total	
1992-93	4,369.5	4,632.2	965.0	5,597.2	2,126.4	3,178.2	8,775.4
1993-94	4,489.9	4,643.1	1,043.1	5,686.1	1,895.6	2,884.1	8,570.2
1994-95	5,208.3	5,376.6	1,101.0	6,477.6	2,812.5	3,733.4	10,211.0
July-October--							
1994-95	2,062.2	2,116.5	427.3	2,543.8	731.0	1,082.9	3,626.6
1995-96	1,534.8	1,590.4	357.0	1,947.4	1,240.7	1,541.6	3,489.1
1994--							
August	670.7	684.9	106.1	791.0	304.1	460.3	1,251.3
September	556.7	570.4	142.6	713.0	124.7	207.2	920.2
October	432.2	438.1	93.4	531.5	157.5	209.3	740.8
November	445.2	450.1	97.1	547.2	169.8	239.1	786.3
December	408.8	418.9	72.3	491.2	198.2	238.4	729.6
1995 -							
January	363.5	373.1	70.5	443.6	146.1	209.3	652.9
February	352.9	359.0	76.1	435.1	161.6	363.7	798.8
March	449.4	461.2	78.7	539.9	167.9	258.5	798.4
April	316.7	340.0	99.6	439.6	695.1	724.5	1,164.0
May	478.7	505.7	94.6	600.3	280.5	313.2	913.5
June	331.0	352.3	84.7	437.0	262.3	303.9	740.9
July	407.4	423.5	84.7	508.2	332.1	373.2	881.3
August	367.4	384.8	90.8	475.6	418.3	481.0	956.6
September	390.5	403.8	95.3	499.1	219.3	255.6	754.6
October	369.6	378.4	86.3	464.7	271.1	431.9	896.5

(a) Valued at \$10,000 or more. Includes conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings (b) Valued at \$50,000 or more.

TABLE 29. VALUE OF BUILDING WORK COMPLETED IN NSW
(\\$ million)

Period	New residential buildings (a)		Total	Alterations and additions (c) to residential buildings	Total residential building	Non-residential building	Total all building
	Houses	Other (b)					
1992-93	2,826.4	1,332.8	4,159.1	964.9	5,124.0	4,012.5	9,136.6
1993-94	3,014.7	1,405.7	4,420.4	1,018.5	5,438.9	3,777.5	9,216.4
1994-95	3,132.9	1,506.7	4,639.4	1,056.5	5,695.9	3,094.8	8,790.8
<i>1994</i>							
March qtr	718.6	347.9	1,066.5	237.8	1,304.3	661.6	1,965.9
June qtr	688.6	274.6	963.3	242.3	1,205.6	601.7	1,807.3
September qtr	821.3	364.0	1,185.3	253.0	1,438.3	1,032.7	2,471.0
December qtr	922.3	348.3	1,270.6	304.3	1,574.9	914.1	2,489.0
<i>1995 -</i>							
March qtr	692.6	327.6	1,020.1	245.7	1,265.8	582.0	1,847.7
June qtr	696.8	466.7	1,163.5	253.5	1,417.0	566.0	1,983.0

(a) Conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings are not included. (b) The classification 'New residential buildings - Other' includes flats (including home units) and semi-detached cottages, villa units, town houses, and similar types of residential buildings. (c) Valued at \$10,000 or more. Includes conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings.

TABLE 30. VALUE OF BUILDING WORK DONE IN NSW, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
(\\$ million)

Period	New residential buildings		Non-residential building		Total all building (a)	
	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted
1992-93	4,254.1	..	3,450.0	..	8,695.0	..
1993-94	4,558.6	..	3,203.2	..	8,817.2	..
1994-95	5,108.5	..	3,296.1	..	9,599.6	..
<i>1994</i>						
March qtr	1,023.5	1,096.4	676.2	698.2	1,934.3	2,044.8
June qtr	1,225.1	1,255.6	830.9	846.0	2,336.7	2,386.2
September qtr	1,279.7	1,232.4	780.3	777.3	2,369.7	2,298.3
December qtr	1,365.6	1,295.9	812.5	778.2	2,534.0	2,429.6
<i>1995</i>						
March qtr	1,186.2	1,270.8	749.1	771.2	2,178.3	2,299.0
June qtr	1,277.0	1,309.9	954.3	973.2	2,517.6	2,573.4

(a) Includes alterations and additions to residential buildings (valued at \$10,000 or more) which are not included elsewhere in this table.

TABLE 31. VALUE OF BUILDING (a) APPROVED IN AREAS OF NSW, BY CLASS OF BUILDING
(S'000)

<i>Period</i>	<i>Residential building (b)</i>	<i>Shops</i>	<i>Factories</i>	<i>Offices</i>	<i>Educational</i>	<i>Other classes</i>	<i>Total all classes</i>
SYDNEY STATISTICAL DIVISION							
1992-93	3,414,083	306,747	199,232	601,162	262,805	1,037,369	5,821,398
1993-94	3,427,660	231,674	199,474	501,434	243,007	890,076	5,493,326
1994-95	4,340,322	467,436	280,362	432,836	186,040	1,530,154	7,237,151
<i>July-October</i>							
1994-95	1,724,546	211,665	70,666	135,264	56,576	304,498	2,503,213
1995-96	1,364,917	171,012	84,991	247,066	65,976	699,022	2,632,983
1994							
August	566,092	168,929	16,971	31,793	16,019	133,651	933,455
September	507,485	13,948	20,570	18,655	20,565	65,334	646,555
October	344,478	15,350	20,077	30,872	5,538	47,417	463,731
November	355,125	24,347	8,482	29,336	11,791	72,849	501,929
December	336,596	22,282	12,505	27,037	33,042	82,736	514,198
1995							
January	296,139	24,106	13,273	40,342	9,805	52,507	436,172
February	290,150	29,196	15,886	40,726	22,230	202,752	600,940
March	367,205	22,004	16,893	55,565	13,109	82,408	557,183
April	300,122	58,031	8,247	24,751	7,499	576,991	975,642
May	407,855	24,064	94,670	42,400	20,787	69,674	659,450
June	262,583	51,741	39,741	37,415	11,200	85,742	488,422
July	372,529	25,306	18,786	19,492	14,805	256,202	707,119
August	314,714	81,145	18,965	65,362	14,478	183,902	678,566
September	352,508	41,481	31,263	42,659	32,841	50,671	551,422
October	325,167	23,080	15,977	119,552	3,853	208,247	695,875
HUNTER STATISTICAL DIVISION							
1992-93	537,733	16,039	12,632	18,476	38,666	110,229	733,775
1993-94	569,502	29,421	36,985	17,537	26,004	117,382	796,830
1994-95	558,215	56,271	26,063	18,913	35,375	101,947	796,785
<i>July-October</i>							
1994-95	213,583	33,484	13,233	3,339	7,289	19,159	290,087
1995-96	155,449	24,832	4,839	4,767	8,122	25,535	223,543
1994							
August	52,416	2,356	863	380		4,668	60,683
September	58,118	3,680	5,710	965	4,250	3,657	76,380
October	44,164	24,963	1,000	353	1,708	7,013	79,201
November	49,277	1,428	2,454	1,095	815	24,273	79,341
December	41,355	1,370	1,639	1,725	11,891	10,436	68,416
1995							
January	34,249	1,980	270	4,990	243	3,023	44,755
February	32,341	1,514	876	455	2,198	3,695	41,077
March	48,742	875	1,579	1,428	8,316	14,700	75,641
April	27,689	9,812	1,251	1,499	3,300	5,451	49,002
May	51,810	1,370	1,710	3,140		5,790	63,820
June	59,170	4,438	3,052	1,242	1,322	15,421	84,645
July	35,192	1,439	1,160	775	175	4,400	43,141
August	40,977	20,200	294	1,175	5,875	8,576	77,097
September	44,325	1,315	2,285	1,520	1,145	5,959	56,548
October	34,955	1,878	1,100	1,297	927	6,600	46,757

For footnotes see end of table

TABLE 31. VALUE OF BUILDING (a) APPROVED IN AREAS OF NSW, BY CLASS OF BUILDING—*continued*
(\$'000)

Period	Residential building (b)	Shops	Factories	Offices	Educational	Other classes	Total all classes
ILLAWARRA STATISTICAL DIVISION							
1992-93	387,139	14,650	17,276	19,282	25,474	37,543	501,365
1993-94	386,494	9,078	21,528	18,335	15,260	37,918	488,612
1994-95	386,254	13,469	20,395	18,985	17,464	39,636	496,203
July-October—							
1994-95	146,531	8,499	5,149	12,273	14,788	8,112	195,352
1995-96	127,988	3,392	6,323	1,165	1,182	16,898	156,947
1994 --							
August	46,068	2,613	4,349	11,507	13,948	4,205	82,690
September	32,455	1,215	265	80	100	945	35,060
October	33,957	4,546	185	70	355	902	40,015
November	36,437	805	7,860	1,112	300	8,149	54,663
December	26,799	70	822	930	—	1,699	30,320
1995							
January	32,260	1,156	2,370	2,540	250	10,565	49,141
February	25,190	786	116	—	505	1,186	27,783
March	30,043	515	358	330	235	3,344	34,825
April	24,471	250	703	838	517	1,325	28,103
May	39,933	1,118	2,183	655	820	3,834	48,543
June	24,590	270	834	308	50	1,422	27,474
July	30,882	582	783	155	1,020	1,375	34,797
August	33,529	364	664	80	112	7,605	42,353
September	32,712	612	496	260	—	2,856	36,936
October	30,865	1,835	4,380	670	50	5,062	42,861
NEW SOUTH WALES							
1992-93	5,597,188	399,123	283,155	676,502	424,749	1,394,700	8,775,417
1993-94	5,686,144	322,573	294,026	571,435	428,460	1,267,589	8,570,228
1994-95	6,477,575	606,974	389,534	505,181	336,907	1,894,779	10,210,950
July-October—							
1994-95	2,543,738	272,530	120,039	158,062	104,675	427,576	3,626,620
1995-96	1,947,444	264,740	114,226	263,133	94,919	804,626	3,489,089
1994							
August	791,016	178,832	26,763	47,209	37,942	169,543	1,251,305
September	712,967	24,343	34,122	20,734	36,299	91,736	920,201
October	531,503	48,408	34,937	32,280	11,527	82,149	740,804
November	547,213	27,772	23,727	34,256	35,282	118,033	786,282
December	491,185	33,574	19,745	30,731	47,428	106,939	729,601
1995--							
January	443,536	32,278	19,319	49,297	27,195	81,248	652,874
February	435,125	41,972	20,389	45,893	37,744	217,684	798,808
March	539,945	28,660	22,184	59,874	26,707	121,035	798,406
April	439,553	75,411	14,218	29,753	12,679	592,427	1,164,042
May	600,308	35,540	102,190	50,166	25,960	99,311	913,476
June	436,994	59,236	47,722	47,150	19,238	130,525	740,866
July	508,136	30,518	22,473	21,557	18,089	280,564	881,337
August	475,587	143,837	23,038	69,519	30,233	214,379	956,595
September	499,067	57,969	38,872	46,602	39,044	73,076	754,631
October	464,654	32,415	29,843	125,454	7,553	236,606	896,526

(a) Comprises all new residential buildings and alterations and additions to residential buildings valued at \$10,000 or more and all non-residential buildings valued at \$50,000 or more. (b) Includes new houses, new other residential buildings, alterations and additions to residential buildings (valued at \$10,000 or more), and conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings (valued at \$10,000 or more)

TABLE 32. SECURED HOUSING FINANCE COMMITMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS IN NSW FOR OWNER OCCUPATION
(\$ million)

Purpose of commitments							
Lending commitments for the construction or purchase of dwelling (a)						Lending commitments for alterations and additions	Total, lending commitments to individuals for housing (b)
Period	Construction of dwellings	Purchase of newly erected dwellings	Purchase of established dwellings	Total dwellings			
				Houses	Other dwellings		
1992-93	1,612	570	8,539	9,551	1,170	650	12,958
1993-94	2,151	839	10,921	12,264	1,646	1,078	17,317
1994-95	2,127	856	9,950	11,089	1,843	1,242	16,553
1994 -							
July	218	69	895	1,018	164	113	1,495
August	218	89	908	1,023	191	107	1,505
September	204	83	863	987	164	86	1,424
October	163	64	746	843	130	89	1,234
November	185	78	900	986	177	115	1,487
December	163	67	756	851	135	98	1,265
1995 -							
January	120	54	558	630	103	86	959
February	158	65	783	861	145	111	1,308
March	193	75	948	1,044	171	127	1,577
April	147	60	723	793	138	95	1,193
May	182	78	934	1,034	159	105	1,526
June	176	74	935	1,019	166	111	1,581
July	182	66	811	913	147	89	1,397
August	180	70	837	935	152	97	1,409
September	158	66	797	885	136	104	1,345
Type of lender (b)							
Period	Banks		Permanent building societies		Other	Total	
1992-93	12,234		390		334	12,958	
1993-94	16,364		607		346	17,317	
1994-95	14,370		676		1,508	16,553	
1994							
July	1,373		70		51	1,495	
August	1,371		66		69	1,505	
September	1,254		64		105	1,424	
October	1,062		55		116	1,234	
November	1,285		61		141	1,487	
December	1,119		43		102	1,265	
1995							
January	822		39		98	959	
February	1,090		53		165	1,308	
March	1,328		54		196	1,577	
April	1,004		46		144	1,193	
May	1,324		63		138	1,526	
June	1,337		62		185	1,585	
July	1,218		60		119	1,397	
August	1,216		63		130	1,409	
September	1,158		62		126	1,345	

(a) Excludes refinancing (b) Includes refinancing.

TABLE 33. NEW SOUTH WALES GOVERNMENT FINANCES: BUDGET SECTOR

(Source: Financial Statement released by NSW Treasury. Figures may differ from data published in annual ABS publications.)
(\$ million)

	Actual 1993-94	Actual 1994-95	Estimates 1995-96	July-October—	
				1994-95	1995-96
RECEIPTS --					
Current receipts --					
Taxes, fees and fines—					
Stamp duties	2,653	2,624	2,507	937	886
Payroll tax	2,454	2,688	2,931	902	934
Land tax	519	510	570	60	76
Motor vehicle tax	837	918	931	307	318
Gaming and Betting	1,003	1,088	1,185	348	357
Licences	1,411	1,453	1,708	382	468
Other	848	876	913	289	306
Land transactions and royalties	233	218	235	74	92
Income from Non Budget Sector Enterprises	1,064	1,044	2,781	195	163
Commonwealth General Purpose Recurrent Grants	3,960	4,278	4,515	1,392	1,557
Commonwealth Specific Purpose Recurrent Grants	2,501	2,685	2,886	827	967
Other	538	597	693	145	187
Total current receipts	18,022	18,979	21,855	5,858	6,311
Capital receipts					
Commonwealth General Purpose Capital Grants	80	—	—	—	—
Commonwealth Specific Purpose Capital Grants	1,005	961	921	290	208
Other	11	12	18	2	4
Total capital receipts	1,096	974	939	292	212
Total, current and capital receipts	19,117	19,953	22,794	6,150	6,523
EXPENDITURE --					
Current expenditure--					
Departmental payments—					
Services--					
Health	4,535	4,785	5,003	1,560	1,598
Education (a)	4,144	4,429	4,730	1,371	1,444
Law and order (b)	1,333	1,456	1,521	447	460
Community Services	840	873	1,048	289	323
Other	2,504	2,773	3,598	782	992
Redundancies	69	53	75	14	1
Subsidies to Non Budget agencies--					
Services	812	812	950	268	285
Redundancies	154	129	77	39	27
Interest payments	1,726	1,705	1,592	531	508
Superannuation	986	1,006	1,078	297	307
Treasurer's advance (c)	—	—	75	—	—
less--User charges	1,333	1,302	1,171	401	412
Total current expenditure	15,770	16,720	18,576	5,197	5,532
Capital expenditure					
Capital works	2,663	2,700	2,127	702	551
Capital grants	1,451	1,374	1,225	374	346
Advances made	18	38	47	18	17
less--Advances repaid	249	54	116	11	9
--- Asset sales	105	488	174	34	41
Total capital expenditure	3,778	3,569	3,110	1,049	864
Total, current and capital expenditure	19,548	20,289	21,686	6,246	6,396
SURPLUS OR DEFICIT (--)					
Current account	2,253	2,259	3,279	661	779
Capital account	2,683	-2,595	2,171	-757	-652
Total before extraordinary items	-430	-336	1,107	-96	128
Extraordinary items (d)	—	527	—	—	—
Total after extraordinary items	-430	191	1,107	96	128

(a) Includes Office of Education and Youth Affairs, Department of School Education, and TAFE. (b) Includes Attorney General's Department, Department of Corrective Services, Department of Courts Administration and Police Services. (c) Expenditure from the Treasurer's Advance is included in the relevant current payments figures. (d) Sale of Major Business assets (sale of State Bank).

TABLE 34. BANK INTEREST RATES
(per cent per annum)

Type of deposit or loan	Interest rate at end June 1995	Interest rate current at end of		
		August 1995	September 1995	October 1995
Banks (a)				
Fixed deposits--				
\$5,000-\$100,000 (predominant rate)				
1 month	5.45	5.40	5.40	5.40
3 months	6.10	6.30	6.00	6.00
6 months	6.75	7.05	6.80	6.70
1 year	7.15	7.15	7.00	7.00
Transaction and investment accounts--				
Less than \$2,000	1.15-1.75	1.15-1.75	1.15-1.75	1.15-1.75
\$2,000 to less than \$10,000	1.25-2.75	1.25-2.75	1.25-2.75	1.25-2.75
\$10,000 and over	2.75-4.50	2.75-4.50	2.75-4.50	2.75-4.50
Loans				
Business indicator (b)--				
Large Business	10.60-10.75	10.65-10.75	10.65-10.75	10.65-10.75
Small/medium size business	10.90-11.25	10.90-11.25	10.90-11.25	10.90-11.25
New housing loans to individuals for owner-occupation (predominant rate)	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.50
Primary Industry Bank of Australia (c)--				
Term deposits				
\$5,000 to less than \$50,000				
3 months	6.75	6.75	6.75	6.75
6 months	7.45	7.30	7.15	7.15
\$50,000 to \$500,000--				
3 months	7.55	7.50	7.45	7.45
6 months	7.55	7.65	7.50	7.50
PIBA bonds				
\$5,000 to less than \$250,000--				
1 year	7.35	7.35	7.35	7.35
2 years	7.55	7.55	7.55	7.55
3 years	7.70	7.70	7.70	7.70
4 years	7.90	7.90	7.90	7.90
5 years	8.10	8.10	8.10	8.10
\$250,000 to \$500,000--				
1 year	7.55	7.75	7.45	7.60
2 years	7.85	8.00	7.70	7.80
3 years	8.10	8.20	7.85	7.95
4 years	8.40	8.50	8.10	8.20
5 years	8.60	8.70	8.30	8.35

(a) Source: Reserve Bank (b) Rates apply to variable rate advances such as overdrafts and fully drawn loans (c) Source: Primary Industry Bank

TABLE 35. COMMONWEALTH SECURITY YIELDS AND MISCELLANEOUS INTEREST RATES
(per cent per annum)

Type of security, deposit or loan	June 1994	June 1995	August 1995	September 1995	October 1995
Commonwealth security yields (a)—					
Treasury notes allotted at tender (b)					
13-week	5.40	7.50	7.49	7.48	7.50
26-week	6.03	...	7.57	7.48	7.55
Treasury bonds (c)					
3-year term	8.57	8.20	7.95	7.70	7.95
5-year term	9.05	8.60	8.45	8.10	8.35
10-year term	9.65	9.20	9.00	8.55	8.80
NSW Treasury Corporation (a)(d)—					
3 years	8.70	8.30	8.10	7.85	8.10
5 years	9.30	8.80	8.60	8.25	8.45
10 years	10.00	9.45	9.25	8.85	9.05
Authorised dealers (a)(e)					
Rate on loans outstanding	4.69	7.44	7.44	7.44	7.43
Finance companies (a)(f)—					
2-year debentures	6.50-6.90	7.60-7.75	7.55 7.60	7.55-7.60	7.55 7.60
3-year debentures	7.00 7.50	7.75-7.90	7.75	7.75	7.75
Permanent building societies (a)—					
Call deposits	1.92	2.01	2.00	2.00	2.00
Fixed term shares (g)	4.25-6.00	6.00-7.75	6.00 7.75	6.00-7.75	6.00-7.50
Housing loans (h)	8.82	10.48	10.29	10.29	10.29
Credit unions in NSW (i)—					
Statement investment account (j)	2.50-4.00	3.00-4.25	3.00-4.25	2.80-4.50	2.80 4.50
Personal loans	9.90 13.00	12.00-13.95	11.50 14.00	11.70-14.00	11.70-14.00
Home loans	8.25-9.00	9.75 10.50	10.00-10.80	10.00-10.90	10.00 10.90

(a) Source: Reserve Bank (b) Weighted average yield (c) Figures represent assessed secondary market yields (before brokerage) on non-rebate bonds on the last business day of the month (d) Assessed secondary market yields (e) Weighted average of daily figures for the four or five weeks ending on the last Wednesday of the month (f) Finance companies associated with major banks (g) Fixed term shares 12 months in NSW (h) Weighted averages for the larger societies (i) Source: Credit Union Services Corp. (Aust.) Ltd. Range of rates current at end of month (j) Subject to minimum balance of \$5,000.

NOTE: The Reserve Bank of Australia has changed the time series - items are now 3, 5 and 10 year terms.

TABLE 36. ALL BANKS: TOTAL \$A ASSETS (a)
(Average of weekly figures)
(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)
(\$ million)

Period	Held with Reserve Bank	Loans, advances and bills held	Bills receivable	Public sector securities	All other	Total \$A assets
<i>June</i>						
1991	3,785	226,757	53,573	23,437	29,122	336,672
1992	3,891	238,604	48,474	24,975	31,603	347,546
1993	4,279	255,384	48,659	25,484	31,506	365,311
<i>1994 -</i>						
July	5,271	276,726	50,292	28,773	33,075	394,137
August	4,781	278,832	50,196	28,314	32,634	394,757
September	4,809	279,775	50,629	28,935	32,885	397,033
October	4,911	284,128	51,397	26,818	32,384	399,638
November	5,032	285,634	51,787	27,009	31,838	401,300
December	5,500	290,350	50,761	27,892	31,400	405,903
<i>1995</i>						
January	5,352	287,481	51,200	27,845	31,147	403,025
February	5,179	288,609	51,372	29,886	31,252	406,298
March	5,145	291,000	51,163	30,148	31,759	409,231
April	5,422	292,291	51,978	28,284	32,190	410,166
May	5,185	295,705	52,688	27,186	32,525	413,290
June	5,178	297,440	52,329	28,545	32,314	415,806
July	5,179	301,827	52,585	28,327	32,530	420,448
August	5,267	303,516	52,345	27,298	33,301	421,727
September	5,276	309,902	52,258	29,356	33,623	430,415

(a) Excludes Reserve Bank of Australia.

TABLE 37. ALL BANKS: DEPOSITS AND LIABILITIES REPAYABLE IN AUSTRALIA (a)
(Average of weekly figures)
(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)
(\$ million)

Period	Deposits				Total	Bill acceptances	All other liabilities	Total (c)
	Current (b)	Fixed	Certificate	Other (b)				
<i>June -</i>								
1991	31,169	77,263	32,773	53,536	194,741	55,071	37,364	287,176
1992	37,239	77,797	31,006	57,081	203,124	49,372	41,390	293,886
1993	49,922	87,727	30,414	54,457	222,519	49,531	36,368	308,418
<i>1994</i>								
July	59,472	96,303	28,317	56,694	240,787	50,735	40,422	331,944
August	59,045	96,388	29,831	56,580	241,844	50,628	40,395	332,867
September	59,278	97,767	29,868	56,163	243,076	50,854	40,885	334,815
October	59,686	100,531	29,744	55,961	245,923	51,564	42,584	340,075
November	59,667	103,210	30,686	55,672	249,235	52,061	40,662	341,967
December	61,696	107,285	29,652	55,102	253,734	50,949	42,152	346,844
<i>1995 -</i>								
January	59,282	107,620	30,227	54,788	251,917	51,453	39,187	342,557
February	58,627	109,663	29,902	53,781	251,973	51,827	39,659	343,459
March	58,717	111,982	30,503	53,161	254,363	51,425	40,467	346,255
April	58,009	111,635	31,558	52,234	253,436	52,196	41,326	346,958
May	57,807	112,850	31,985	51,725	254,368	52,808	41,813	349,008
June	57,922	114,528	31,228	51,712	255,390	52,472	41,753	349,749
July	59,563	118,204	31,331	51,628	260,726	52,718	41,537	354,981
August	59,252	118,019	34,165	51,117	262,553	52,529	39,639	354,722
September	59,416	123,390	33,702	50,794	267,304	52,403	41,696	361,402

(a) Excludes Reserve Bank of Australia. (b) Break in series due to the reclassification of Other deposits to Current deposits by one bank. (c) Excludes shareholders' funds.

TABLE 38. FINANCE COMPANIES: FINANCE LEASE RECEIVABLES AND LOAN OUTSTANDINGS IN NSW
(\$ million)

Period	Finance lease receivables (a)	Loan outstandings at end of period				Total loan outstandings (b)
		Individuals			Other loans and advances (b)	
		Housing	Other	Total		
June --						
1991	3,226.7	241.3	2,019.7	2,261.0	6,806.9	9,067.9
1992	2,828.1	175.2	1,823.5	1,998.7	5,956.9	7,955.7
1993	2,432.3	305.1	1,766.3	2,071.4	5,097.7	7,169.1
1994						
July	2,123.3	245.4	1,776.9	2,022.3	4,319.4	6,341.7
August	2,127.0	246.1	1,801.9	2,047.9	4,362.2	6,410.2
September	2,123.4	246.2	1,804.2	2,050.4	4,231.6	6,282.0
October	2,103.3	247.7	1,832.0	2,079.6	4,325.0	6,404.6
November	2,124.6	251.1	1,871.2	2,122.3	4,364.4	6,486.7
December	2,131.6	249.9	1,902.1	2,152.0	4,339.2	6,491.1
1995						
January	2,109.1	249.1	1,917.6	2,166.7	4,234.5	6,401.2
February	2,123.5	249.0	1,945.1	2,194.1	4,278.6	6,472.6
March	2,179.2	249.7	1,976.5	2,226.2	4,292.5	6,518.7
April	2,199.0	251.1	2,004.5	2,255.6	4,423.1	6,678.7
May	2,220.9	252.6	2,049.2	2,301.7	4,484.0	6,785.7
June	2,240.8	252.3	2,072.0	2,324.1	4,597.4	6,921.5
July	2,294.8	250.2	2,094.4	2,344.6	4,621.2	6,965.8
August	2,251.9	270.7	2,116.2	2,386.9	4,646.3	7,033.2
September	2,341.1	265.2	2,131.3	2,396.5	4,638.0	7,034.5

(a) Excludes leveraged lease receivables (b) Excludes related corporations.

TABLE 39. BUILDING SOCIETIES, NSW (a)
(\$ million)

Period	Borrowing from residents				Lending operations with residents				
	Withdrawable share capital			Other borrowings at end of period	New commitments during period	Loans advanced during period	Payments received during period	Loan outstandings at end of period	
	Receipts during period	Withdrawals during period	At end of period					Owner- occupied housing	Other
<i>June</i>									
1991	330	316	1,259	7,716	195	197	198	4,663	125
1992	383	373	1,415	8,609	232	263	220	5,876	287
1993	446	439	1,547	1,197	65	64	62	1,595	163
<i>1994--</i>									
July	519	507	1,641	1,451	113	80	77	1,798	188
August	577	549	1,669	1,457	103	96	74	1,825	190
September	552	538	1,683	1,469	111	110	76	1,854	199
October	494	474	1,703	1,484	90	88	70	1,880	199
November	484	478	1,710	1,503	98	96	69	1,904	208
December	479	474	1,714	1,527	75	107	79	1,938	201
<i>1995</i>									
January	409	378	1,745	1,552	71	66	68	1,942	212
February	489	474	1,760	1,556	86	76	67	1,962	205
March	430	436	1,754	1,580	87	93	80	2,014	207
April	380	383	1,751	1,590	73	83	70	2,031	209
May	556	544	1,762	1,610	104	100	83	2,073	210
June	547	540	1,769	1,660	97	101	84	2,104	212
July	522	513	1,778	1,666	88	84	86	2,118	212
August	591	577	1,793	1,687	101	91	117	2,126	215
September	509	492	1,809	1,698	94	101	92	2,151	218

(a) Building society statistics reflect the change of St George Building Society to the St George Bank, from July 1992 onwards.

TABLE 40. COMMERCIAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS BY SIGNIFICANT LENDERS IN NSW (a)
(\$ million)

Period	Fixed loan commitments during period	Commitments under revolving credit facilities			Commercial finance commitments during period
		New and increased credit limits during period	Credit limits at end of period		
			Total available	Total used	
1992-93	14,456.2	25,305.1	56,995.0	38,646.3	39,761.3
1993-94	19,466.5	24,252.4	39,186.1	39,920.2	43,718.8
1994-95	19,904.2	27,397.0	71,178.8	45,234.3	47,301.0
1994					
July	1,796.5	1,732.8	62,771.1	39,893.2	3,529.3
August	1,723.6	2,430.3	63,579.0	40,149.7	4,153.9
September	1,673.7	2,212.6	62,904.5	39,885.5	3,886.3
October	1,437.8	1,595.5	63,455.1	40,550.0	3,033.3
November	1,762.7	2,554.6	64,580.4	41,239.7	4,317.3
December	2,074.3	2,691.6	64,744.0	41,569.5	4,766.0
1995					
January	1,226.0	1,621.7	64,929.2	41,872.9	2,847.7
February	1,373.6	1,939.7	64,954.3	42,262.4	3,313.3
March	1,750.7	3,142.4	65,901.4	42,597.6	4,893.1
April	1,375.1	1,911.4	66,359.4	43,140.3	3,284.9
May	1,738.4	2,582.0	67,998.9	44,844.6	4,323.0
June	1,971.9	3,007.0	71,199.4	45,229.9	4,954.0
July	1,712.5	2,631.2	68,218.6	43,758.1	4,343.7
August	2,566.7	2,389.1	68,092.1	43,773.2	4,955.8
September	2,225.2	3,045.9	69,497.8	44,551.0	5,271.1

(a) Figures exclude lease finance commitments—refer separate table on next page

TABLE 41. COMMERCIAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS IN NSW—FIXED LOAN FACILITIES BY PURPOSE OF COMMITMENTS
(\$ million)

Period	Construction finance (a)	Purchase of real property	Wholesale finance	Purchase of motor vehicles, plant and equipment	Re-financing	Other (b)	Total commitments
1992-93	1,332.7	3,414.0	1,313.8	1,405.0	3,362.4	3,628.1	14,456.2
1993-94	2,011.9	5,986.2	1,939.0	1,945.0	2,902.6	4,681.8	19,466.5
1994-95	2,207.3	6,893.0	1,725.5	2,348.3	3,385.3	3,344.8	19,904.1
<i>1994—</i>							
July	169.2	572.1	115.0	190.2	408.4	341.6	1,796.4
August	216.0	604.3	149.0	216.2	319.2	218.9	1,723.6
September	175.5	567.6	167.1	201.6	209.9	351.9	1,673.6
October	115.5	563.1	94.2	145.9	355.0	164.1	1,437.8
November	267.4	595.3	155.0	183.8	319.5	241.5	1,762.7
December	270.6	630.5	166.2	322.3	405.6	279.1	2,074.3
<i>1995</i>							
January	134.1	404.9	151.4	114.1	255.2	166.2	1,225.9
February	117.3	482.0	176.7	157.7	168.5	247.9	1,346.3
March	169.9	665.1	131.6	160.8	275.6	320.6	1,720.4
April	157.2	514.1	108.1	143.8	196.8	255.1	1,373.5
May	209.9	586.0	164.7	237.5	249.3	291.2	1,741.1
June	167.2	708.0	139.5	274.3	218.9	463.9	1,971.6
July	152.1	621.5	121.0	160.9	274.3	382.7	1,712.5
August	182.7	630.8	129.9	395.4	551.3	676.6	2,566.7
September	321.5	599.0	146.2	152.3	449.5	556.7	2,225.5

(a) Includes alterations and/or additions (b) Includes factoring

**TABLE 42. VALUE OF GOODS UNDER NEW LEASE COMMITMENTS IN NSW
BY TYPE OF GOODS — ALL LESSORS (a)
(\$ million)**

Period	Motor vehicles	Other transport equipment	Construction and earth-moving equipment	Agricultural machinery and equipment	Electronic data- processing equipment	Shop and office furniture, fittings, equipment and office machines	Other	Total
1992-93	1,200.7	38.1	58.5	37.0	188.2	205.6	168.3	1,896.4
1993-94	1,400.0	46.7	86.6	67.3	232.1	262.4	297.5	2,392.7
1994-95	1,606.9	75.5	221.6	54.2	242.0	261.4	240.1	2,701.8
<i>1994</i>								
July	138.7	4.6	12.8	9.7	14.3	24.3	27.0	231.5
August	127.3	2.5	6.6	3.4	11.5	22.2	18.9	192.3
September	132.4	11.3	12.5	2.7	27.8	21.0	18.5	226.2
October	110.9	8.2	9.4	3.2	13.5	15.9	14.8	175.8
November	153.7	3.0	15.7	3.3	22.6	22.8	20.1	241.3
December	138.3	3.8	8.4	3.4	31.5	22.1	21.9	229.4
<i>1995</i>								
January	91.9	4.1	3.5	2.1	11.8	13.9	17.5	144.0
February	124.2	8.9	28.8	3.4	17.4	17.8	17.2	216.6
March	155.9	10.8	32.1	5.7	22.4	22.6	18.6	257.3
April	118.2	2.3	25.8	3.2	12.6	22.4	12.6	195.9
May	169.1	6.7	27.9	4.3	12.5	24.7	22.9	267.0
June	162.7	7.8	38.1	9.7	44.1	31.6	30.3	323.1
July	138.7	2.9	35.6	5.3	22.8	28.7	16.1	249.3
August	138.9	11.2	42.3	3.4	14.5	20.9	21.4	249.6
September	147.7	8.2	36.9	8.7	17.8	31.8	20.4	269.5

(a) The figures in this table comprise lease finance commitments made by significant lenders during the period to private and public enterprises, and exclude leveraged leases

**TABLE 43. PERSONAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS IN NSW—ALL LENDERS
(\$ million)**

Period	Fixed loan commitments during period (a)	Commitments under revolving credit facilities (b)			Total personal finance commitments during period (c)
		New and increased credit limits during period	Credit limits at end of period		
			Total available	Total used	
1992-93	4,392.7	2,786.4	14,228.0	5,863.0	7,179.0
1993-94	5,312.4	3,611.0	14,963.5	6,346.1	8,923.4
1994-95	5,922.0	3,747.8	15,269.8	6,282.9	9,669.8
1994					
July	486.3	302.9	14,535.8	5,920.6	789.2
August	491.3	282.6	14,604.5	5,915.7	773.8
September	437.6	271.9	14,635.5	5,839.1	709.5
October	423.3	273.6	14,542.6	5,836.3	696.9
November	517.4	275.8	14,458.1	5,897.7	793.2
December	467.8	448.1	14,631.5	6,085.8	915.9
1995---					
January	421.6	254.4	14,673.9	6,057.3	676.0
February	456.0	258.6	14,777.8	6,110.0	718.5
March	604.2	303.7	14,906.7	5,994.2	907.9
April	447.4	246.9	14,890.3	6,089.4	694.2
May	585.1	344.2	14,934.6	6,158.0	929.3
June	580.0	485.3	15,269.8	6,282.9	1,065.3
July	532.5	385.7	15,387.6	6,368.3	918.3
August	573.6	352.9	15,375.5	6,324.4	926.4
September	530.2	289.8	15,138.9	6,141.9	819.9

(a) Includes personal investment loans. (b) Includes credit card facilities. (c) Includes commitments for loans on life policies.

**TABLE 44. CREDIT COOPERATIVES WITH ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA EXCEEDING \$5 MILLION:
BORROWING AND LENDING OPERATIONS IN NSW**
(\$ million)

Period	Borrowings from residents at end of period (a)			Lending operations with residents			
	Banks	Credit cooperative associations or leagues	Deposits, share capital and other borrowings	Loans advanced during period (a)(b)	Payments received during period	Loan outstandings at end of period	
						Individuals (c)	Other
June 1991	6.1	33.9	3,317.0	131.2	162.8	3,013.0	26.3
1992	10.5	33.4	3,641.4	175.3	172.6	3,333.4	31.0
1993	7.6	16.8	4,264.7	187.5	200.7	3,697.8	40.3
1994 -							
July	2.0	33.4	4,747.9	220.0	214.7	4,191.4	53.5
August	1.5	31.2	4,776.6	223.0	220.9	4,241.2	59.8
September	0.5	32.9	4,837.5	232.7	213.4	4,315.9	67.2
October	3.5	40.4	4,844.4	205.0	200.0	4,368.8	67.9
November	2.7	53.8	4,894.1	233.0	217.7	4,427.9	69.5
December	4.9	72.4	4,924.4	227.8	218.6	4,495.6	70.9
1995 -							
January	3.6	79.2	4,949.5	183.0	187.2	4,548.2	70.0
February	2.7	57.7	5,021.2	198.4	196.4	4,603.3	71.6
March	1.2	44.2	5,124.8	239.7	224.7	4,677.6	72.1
April	1.1	38.0	5,168.7	185.0	190.4	4,728.3	72.9
May	1.5	22.0	5,297.6	242.1	237.4	4,786.8	74.5
June	6.2	20.1	5,392.5	242.2	224.0	4,856.5	78.0
July	1.7	12.6	5,487.3	206.6	218.4	4,904.4	78.8
August	1.9	6.7	5,600.7	221.2	236.9	4,944.4	79.6
September	1.7	5.1	5,693.8	213.5	228.7	4,984.3	79.9

(a) Excludes related corporations (b) Includes book debts purchased during period (c) Includes owner-occupied housing.

NOTE: Credit cooperatives operate under relevant State or Territory legislation and are organised on a cooperative basis by borrowing from, and providing finance to, their own members.

**TABLE 45. CREDIT COOPERATIVES WITH ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA EXCEEDING \$5 MILLION:
MATURITY DISSECTION OF BORROWINGS FROM RESIDENTS (a)
BALANCES AS AT END OF PERIOD**
(\$ million)

Period	Borrowings by period of notice for withdrawal, or remaining period to maturity where a maturity date is specified					Total
	At call	Up to 3 months but not at call	Over 3 months and up to 6 months	Over 6 months and up to 1 year	Over 1 year	
June 1991	1,538.8	1,028.0	462.2	246.9	75.1	3,351.0
1992	1,679.0	1,051.3	505.9	331.9	106.7	3,674.9
1993	1,992.7	1,101.8	541.1	457.9	188.2	4,281.6
1994 -						
June	2,286.0	1,233.2	599.9	446.9	197.7	4,763.8
September	2,350.4	1,146.5	569.0	579.5	225.2	4,870.6
December	2,378.6	1,164.0	565.3	646.8	245.6	5,000.2
1995 -						
March	2,322.4	1,178.7	715.6	662.7	289.8	5,169.1
June	2,258.1	1,322.2	661.7	770.9	399.8	5,412.6
September	2,390.3	1,276.9	791.2	841.7	398.9	5,698.9

(a) Figures relate to credit cooperatives registered in New South Wales and exclude related corporations and banks

TABLE 46. VALUE OF RETAIL TURNOVER (a) IN NSW, BY INDUSTRY GROUP
(\$ million)

NOTE: The structure of this table has changed following the introduction of the use of a new industry classification: Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC). Data are not yet available under the new classification prior to August 1993.

Period	Food retailing	Department stores	Clothing and soft good retailing	Household good retailing	Recreational good retailing	Other retailing	Hospitality and services	Total
1992-93	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1993-94	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1994-95	14,425.4	3,879.8	2,856.2	4,460.3	1,945.8	3,647.8	8,137.5	39,352.8
July-October—								
1994-95	4,649.1	1,170.4	879.0	1,454.7	683.6	1,192.4	2,616.4	12,645.6
1995-96	5,129.2	1,228.3	967.4	1,444.1	673.3	1,293.2	2,896.5	13,632.0
1994—								
August	1,150.1	269.6	209.5	396.1	170.1	295.0	646.4	3,136.8
September	1,163.7	306.4	222.4	341.5	166.7	303.3	642.1	3,146.1
October	1,192.6	317.6	230.6	371.4	162.2	323.3	673.8	3,271.5
November	1,184.1	348.2	241.7	404.9	180.2	322.5	683.7	3,365.3
December	1,403.1	648.0	339.0	505.6	221.5	421.9	755.9	4,295.0
1995—								
January	1,194.0	261.3	226.6	342.0	141.3	281.0	700.3	3,146.5
February	1,121.5	236.8	191.9	325.5	136.8	261.6	614.9	2,889.0
March	1,231.5	282.4	223.4	359.9	155.7	290.1	695.2	3,238.2
April	1,220.5	308.9	253.2	331.0	133.1	290.2	698.1	3,235.0
May	1,217.0	317.0	252.3	375.8	152.6	297.7	700.0	3,312.4
June	1,204.6	306.8	249.1	360.9	141.0	290.4	673.0	3,225.8
July	1,239.7	314.4	245.2	360.7	162.5	307.4	708.1	3,338.0
August	1,289.8	299.4	235.4	352.4	169.2	320.7	706.6	3,373.5
September	1,254.8	292.9	238.3	355.9	165.5	334.3	726.5	3,368.2
October	1,344.9	321.6	248.5	375.1	176.1	330.8	755.3	3,552.3

(a) The figures shown are estimates derived from a monthly survey of retail establishments. Excludes motor vehicle, boat and caravan dealers, service stations, smash repairers, tyre and battery retailers, bread and milk vendors, footwear repairers and electrical appliance repairers n.e.c. Retail establishments which do not have employees are excluded from the survey. Turnover includes retail sales, wholesale sales, takings from repairs, meals and hiring of goods; and commissions from agency activity (e.g. commissions received from collecting dry cleaning, selling lottery tickets etc.).

TABLE 47. FOREIGN TRADE: IMPORTS AND EXPORTS
(\$'000)

Period	Overseas exports of NSW origin (a)						
	Overseas imports into NSW	Total exports	Selected commodities				Iron and steel
			Meat and meat preparations	Wheat	Wool and other animal hair	Coke, coal and briquettes	
1992-93	26,434,575	13,155,545	850,416	241,403	827,207	3,231,959	785,756
1993-94	28,495,938	14,650,893	973,959	395,869	831,452	3,097,655	849,578
1994-95	r33,297,757	r15,193,874	r878,939	91,654	r1,033,914	2,801,510	r912,347
1994—							
August	3,118,827	r1,207,613	r68,602	18,771	54,661	246,163	45,860
September	2,712,723	r1,227,054	r83,355	9,817	80,179	220,447	62,857
October	2,783,247	1,292,672	84,895	13,386	123,257	253,692	78,201
1995—							
August	r3,075,180	r1,491,197	r64,649	—	r50,139	332,105	r92,139
September	r2,861,158	r1,297,454	r63,353	1	r51,336	r231,474	r80,166
October	3,022,940	1,317,769	68,934	16,706	64,942	299,440	91,901

(a) Excludes re-exported goods. State of origin is defined as the State in which the final stage of production or manufacture occurs.

TABLE 48. EXCHANGE RATES (a)
(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)
Units of foreign currency per \$A

Period (b)	United States dollar	Japanese yen	UK pound sterling	German mark	French franc	Italian lira	New Zealand dollar
<i>June</i>							
1991	0.7681	106.19	0.4712	1.3818	4.6869	1,028.7	1.3303
1992	0.7488	94.05	0.3945	1.1438	3.8440	864.6	1.3752
1993	0.6722	71.54	0.4453	1.1366	3.8267	1,040.9	1.2478
1994	0.7291	72.20	0.4721	1.1591	3.9667	1,145.8	1.2258
<i>1994--</i>							
August	0.7425	73.82	0.4837	1.1696	4.0042	1,176.8	1.2338
September	0.7393	72.88	0.4680	1.1447	3.9050	1,151.3	1.2264
October	0.7422	72.25	0.4575	1.1212	3.8318	1,145.5	1.2037
November	0.7674	75.93	0.4912	1.2057	4.1348	1,242.3	1.2195
December	0.7768	77.56	0.4982	1.2065	4.1617	1,264.1	1.2105
<i>1995</i>							
January	0.7583	74.75	0.4752	1.1412	3.9583	1,206.8	1.1412
February	0.7395	71.75	0.4669	1.0843	3.8036	1,233.7	1.1659
March	0.7280	64.92	0.4534	1.0256	3.5727	1,242.3	1.1228
April	0.7299	61.04	0.4515	1.0039	3.5590	1,239.0	1.0842
May	0.7138	59.45	0.4449	0.9925	3.4944	1,161.0	1.0734
June	0.7086	60.08	0.4452	0.9814	3.4392	1,163.2	1.0621
July	0.7389	65.31	0.4611	1.0225	3.5364	1,172.8	1.0963
August	0.7524	73.55	0.4861	1.1092	3.8090	1,217.8	1.1556
September	0.7550	74.22	0.4777	1.0702	3.6953	1,214.0	1.1488
October	0.7566	76.98	0.4800	1.0663	3.6937	1,207.9	1.1453

(a) The rates shown are indications of market value only and could differ from those quoted by Australian banks. For further details regarding the basis of calculating the rates refer to the monthly *Reserve Bank of Australia Bulletin*. (b) At end of month.

TABLE 49. MOTOR VEHICLES ON THE REGISTER (a), NSW
(Source: NSW Road and Traffic Authority)
(000)

Date	Passenger vehicles (b)	Light commercial vehicles (c)	Trucks (d)	Buses (e)	Motor cycles	Total vehicles
<i>1989</i>						
31 December	2,393.2	427.3	219.1	58.1	94.8	3,192.5
<i>1990--</i>						
30 June	2,410.6	435.8	222.3	59.3	89.7	3,217.7
31 December	2,426.7	442.4	224.0	60.7	85.8	3,239.6
<i>1991--</i>						
30 June	2,423.7	445.1	223.6	61.8	81.8	3,236.0
31 December (f)	<u>2,369.9</u>	<u>435.8</u>	<u>215.7</u>	<u>62.5</u>	<u>72.9</u>	<u>3,156.8</u>
<i>1992--</i>						
30 June (g)	2,467.6	524.6	130.3	9.3	76.0	3,207.8
<i>1993--</i>						
30 June	2,561.5	405.8	124.6	11.3	69.2	3,172.4
<i>1994</i>						
30 June (h)	2,498.8	550.1	130.4	11.0	72.3	3,262.6
<i>1995--</i>						
30 June	2,534.8	564.2	129.9	11.8	74.0	3,314.7

(a) Excludes tractors, trailers, non-motorised caravans, mobile plant and equipment, defence force vehicles and vehicles owned by Australian Government departments and authorities. (b) Includes cars, station wagons and from 30 June 1992 forward control passenger vehicles (with 5 to 9 seats including the driver). (c) Includes utilities, panel vans and from 30 June 1992 cab-chassis and forward control vehicles with gross vehicle mass not exceeding 3,500 kgs. (d) Includes rigid and articulated trucks with gross vehicle mass exceeding 3,500 kgs and non-freight carrying trucks. (e) Includes buses with more than 9 seats including the driver. (f) Figures for 31 December after 1991 are not available due to the introduction of the DRIVES processing system by the Road Traffic Authority. (g) Data from 30 June 1992 is not comparable to previous data due to introduction of new classification of vehicles. (h) Figures for 30 June 1994 are at 21 June 1994.

TABLE 50. REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (a), NSW

Period	Cars and station wagons		Other vehicles (excluding motor cycles)		Total (excluding motor cycles)		Motor cycles	Motor vehicles
	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted		
1992-93	160,075	..	28,571	..	188,646	..	4,597	193,243
1993-94	170,191	..	30,325	..	200,516	..	5,072	205,588
1994-95	193,386	..	35,107	..	228,493	..	6,244	234,737
<i>July-October—</i>								
1994-95	63,813	64,170	11,237	11,325	75,050	75,494	1,908	76,958
1995-96	62,264	61,984	10,778	10,933	73,042	72,918	2,120	75,162
<i>1994—</i>								
August	17,204	15,829	2,739	2,640	19,943	18,469	447	20,390
September	15,344	15,823	2,780	2,834	18,124	18,656	498	18,622
October	16,493	17,413	2,849	2,958	19,342	20,371	559	19,901
November	17,145	15,342	3,274	2,919	20,419	18,262	557	20,976
December	15,037	15,546	2,586	2,845	17,623	18,391	557	18,180
<i>1995—</i>								
January	13,813	17,279	2,093	2,825	15,906	20,104	540	16,446
February	15,304	16,471	2,504	2,923	17,808	19,395	539	18,347
March	17,526	15,253	3,370	2,907	20,896	18,160	515	21,411
April	14,984	18,583	2,501	3,111	17,485	21,694	490	17,975
May	19,172	16,294	3,615	2,979	22,787	19,274	646	23,433
June	16,592	15,323	3,927	3,111	20,519	18,434	492	21,011
July	16,090	16,338	2,973	3,001	19,063	19,339	532	19,595
August	16,124	14,712	2,735	2,689	18,859	17,402	599	19,458
September	13,814	14,647	2,531	2,626	16,345	17,273	429	16,774
October	16,236	16,287	2,539	2,617	18,775	18,904	560	19,335

(a) Includes vehicles (other than those of the defence forces), owned by Government departments and authorities. Excludes mobile plant and equipment, tractors, trailers and non-motorised caravans.

TABLE 51. NEW MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS REGISTERED (a), NSW: PRINCIPAL MAKES

Period	BMW	Ford	Holden	Honda	Mazda	Mitsubishi	Nissan	Subaru	Toyota	Volvo
1992-93	1,915	33,699	25,928	4,800	8,692	20,364	7,904	4,531	29,559	1,047
1993-94	2,723	35,510	31,443	5,437	7,494	20,008	6,346	3,106	32,136	1,251
1994-95	3,238	37,299	36,766	5,595	9,721	19,223	6,290	3,695	32,846	1,484
<i>July-October—</i>										
1994-95	904	12,260	13,062	1,944	2,965	6,639	2,149	1,195	11,434	425
1995-96	1,075	13,510	13,101	1,624	2,237	5,151	1,734	887	10,474	521
<i>1994—</i>										
August	289	2,704	3,853	537	842	1,804	638	298	3,036	137
September	250	3,085	3,214	449	616	1,642	537	283	2,560	101
October	156	3,471	2,870	433	828	1,689	522	310	3,289	85
November	228	3,347	3,467	464	828	1,744	529	248	3,305	138
December	306	2,993	3,128	355	822	1,692	376	247	2,540	134
<i>1995—</i>										
January	228	2,039	1,792	436	845	1,663	410	316	2,823	118
February	245	3,340	2,990	484	845	1,078	561	290	2,027	114
March	314	3,793	3,078	472	881	1,743	645	394	2,426	120
April	359	2,584	2,171	467	789	1,536	505	353	2,718	101
May	455	3,542	3,666	580	1,038	1,667	632	352	2,895	167
June	199	3,401	3,422	393	708	1,461	483	300	2,678	167
July	299	3,491	3,438	510	615	1,358	458	245	2,755	139
August	244	3,756	3,641	382	479	1,414	457	242	2,443	108
September	238	2,816	3,019	323	474	1,088	310	184	2,398	129
October	294	3,447	3,003	409	669	1,291	509	216	2,878	145

(a) Includes vehicles (other than those of the defence forces), owned by Government departments and authorities.

TABLE 52. NEW MOTOR CYCLES REGISTERED (a), NSW: PRINCIPAL MAKES

Period	BMW	Ducati	Harley-Davidson	Honda	Kawasaki	Suzuki	Yamaha
1992-93	218	47	743	1,320	680	595	873
1993-94	236	69	722	1,755	683	585	760
1994-95	298	94	958	1,926	742	681	1,183
<i>July-October</i>							
1994-95	101	33	297	560	225	230	386
1995-96	109	76	375	541	253	243	381
<i>1994—</i>							
August	23	6	87	92	60	58	105
September	23	14	82	144	63	57	96
October	23	9	85	197	52	62	110
November	25	4	74	182	73	51	111
December	20	3	108	179	65	69	90
<i>1995 —</i>							
January	30	5	85	178	65	66	87
February	15	19	103	174	50	52	88
March	30	7	91	142	57	59	90
April	23	6	72	139	63	34	121
May	30	8	80	202	79	80	114
June	24	9	48	170	65	40	96
July	23	19	94	143	66	60	89
August	33	27	120	156	58	66	112
September	28	18	64	88	57	57	81
October	25	12	97	154	72	60	99

(a) Includes vehicles (other than those of the defence forces), owned by Government departments and authorities.

TABLE 53. ROAD ACCIDENT CASUALTIES, NSW
(Source: NSW Road and Traffic Authority)

Period	Motor drivers	Motor cyclists	Pedal cyclists	Passengers (a)	Pedestrians	Other (b)	Total
KILLED							
1992	287	55	6	180	121	—	649
1993	274	41	8	140	117	1	581
1994	258	50	23	187	129	—	647
<i>1994</i>							
June qtr	55	14	6	36	36	—	147
September qtr	41	12	4	40	36	—	133
December qtr	88	12	7	68	30	—	205
<i>1995—</i>							
March qtr	66	8	7	33	35	—	149
June qtr	65	13	3	33	37	—	151
September qtr	75	9	1	31	30	—	146
INJURED (c)							
1992	2,640	632	262	1,759	1,054	5	6,352
1993	2,725	633	272	1,788	982	7	6,407
1994	2,650	613	257	1,678	1,086	3	6,287
<i>1994—</i>							
March qtr	691	170	71	438	254	—	1,624
June qtr	675	164	77	415	314	1	1,646
September qtr	584	131	55	370	259	2	1,401
December qtr	700	148	54	455	259	—	1,616
<i>1995</i>							
March qtr	617	136	52	390	228	—	1,423
June qtr	574	144	46	419	250	—	1,433

(a) Includes motor cycle pillion passengers. (b) Includes pedal cycle passengers, riders and drivers of animals, etc. (c) Figures include only those injured persons admitted to hospital.

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